





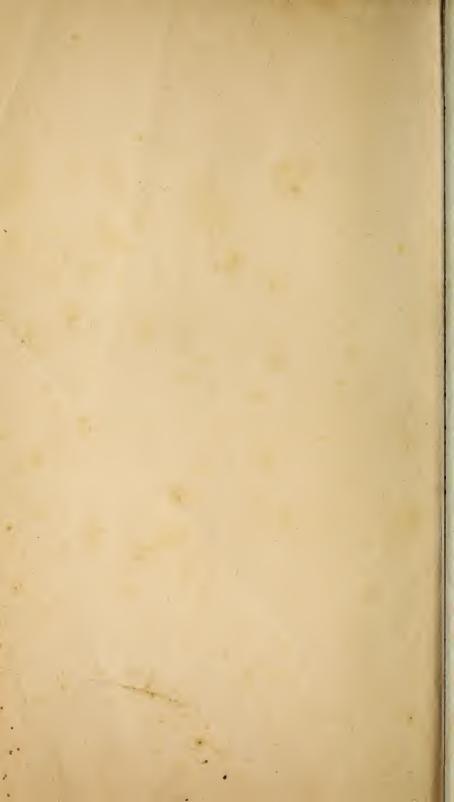
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OF THE

Town of Kennebunkport

1897-8.



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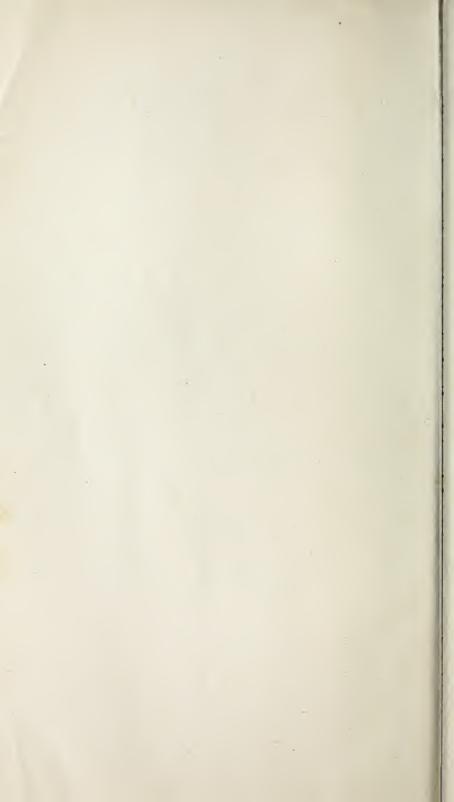
FOR THE

Municipal Year 1897-8,

CLOSING

February 16th, 1898.

FROM THE PRESS OF THE BIDDEFORD JOURNAL. 1898.



Principal Town Officers

FOR THE

Municipal Year 1897-8.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

PALMER A. TWAMBLY ANDREW PERKINS, GEO. A. PERKINS.

TOWN CLERK.

JOSEPH W. FAIRFIELD.

TOWN TREASURER.

CHARLES O. HUFF.

TOWN AGENT,

ROBERT P. BENSON.

SCHOOL BOARD,

GEO. B. CARLL, Supt.,

DR. A. W. LANGLEY, JOSEPH W. FAIRFIELD, GEO. A. PERKINS, W. H. MALING,

FRANK MESERVE, JAMES E. HAYNES,

COLLECTOR AND CONSTABLE,

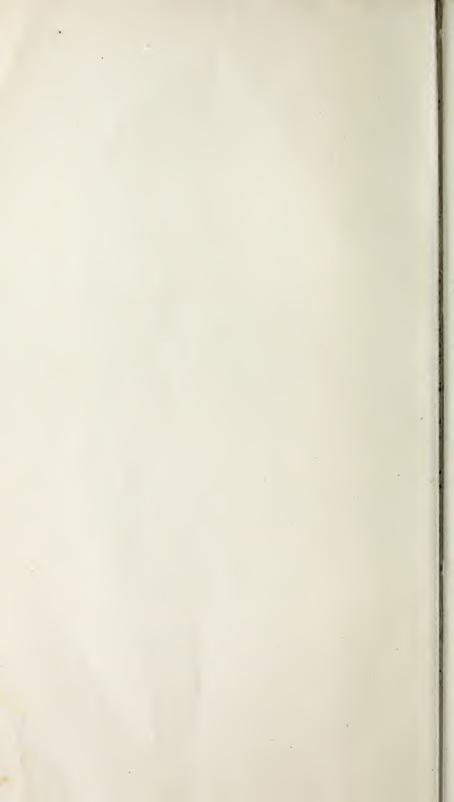
GARDNER F. SMITH.

BOARD OF HEALTH,

DR. A. W. LANGLEY, IVORY BICKFORD, JOSIAH J. GOODWIN.

AUDITORS,

WILLIAM F. WALKFR. LUMAN E. FLETCHER,



Report of the Selectmen

OF THE

Town of Kennebankport

For the Municipal Year Ending Feb. 16th 1898.

ORDERS DRAWN.

They have drawn upon the Treasurer town orders for the following purposes amounting to \$17,058 91.

RECAPITULATION OF ORDERS DRAWN.

For schools,	\$4,916	70
	-	
For poor at poor farm,	185	30
For poor away from farm,	1,257	59
For Contingent Expenses,	2,046	85
For Bridges and causeways,	653	16
For Discount on taxes,	684	80
For abatements,	107	23
Free High school,	1,161	47
Perkins bridge,	303	86
Snow bills,	275	07
Text books,	378	2 I
Repairs and insurance on school buildings,	335	12
Mousam Water Co,	500	00
Village draw bridge and approach,	4,253	55
	\$17,058	91

Whole number of orders drawn 376.

AMOUNT APPROPRIATED FOR ABOVE OBJECTS.

For	suppor	rt of schools,		\$2,300	00
"	"	poor,		1,500	00
4.6	"	bridges,		500	00
"	"	contingent expenses,		1,500	00
44	66	interest and town debt	,	2,300	00
66	"	Discount on taxes,		600	00
"	"	High school,		800	00
"	"	text books,		200	00
"	66	insurance and repairs of	n school		
		buildings,		300	00
66	44	hydrant rental,		1,000	00
44	"	snow bills,		200	
				\$11,200	00
Amo	unt re	ceived from State for			
	hi	gh school,	\$250 00		
Amo	unt rec	ceived railroad and tele-			
	gr	aph tax,	142 19		
Amo	unt re	eceived from State for			
	sc	chool fund,	1,446 87		
Rece	ived t	own order from Kenne-			
	bı	ınk on bridge account,	425 00		
Balar	ice of	loan voted 1896,	3,530 65		
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				5,794	/ I
				\$16,994	7 T
				#10,994	/ 1
	SU	PPORT OF POOR AT TO	WN FARM	1.	
Mrs.	Juliette	e Wılliams, board of Willian	Curtis,	\$19	50
66	"	" board of Geo. A		. 19	_
F. H.	Cous	ens, clothing for Geo. Ada			
		urtis, 1896-7,		. 10	5.5
		Williams, board of Geo	. Adams,		
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	_	Williams, board of Wm.	Curtis o	,	
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weeks,

				d of Geo. Adams,	19	50
v	veeks,				10	50
Wilbu	r Cluff	, labor lay	ying fl	oor town farm,		50
W. T.	Walke	er, lumber	for ki	itchen floor,	8	75
				d of Wm. Curtis,		50
	4.6	"	::	Geo. Adams,		50
"	"	"	"	Sick tramp one week,		50
"	66	"	"	tramp,		50
"	"	"	"	of Caleb Moody 5		Ü
				weeks,	7	50
٠.	"		"	Extra care of Caleb	•	Ü
				Moody,	I	00
"	"	66	"	Medicine for Caleb		
				Moody,		75
P. A.	Twaml	bly, suppli	ies to	Geo. Adams,	2	65
66	"	"		n. Curtis,		60
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					\$185	30
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		I OF PC	OR A	AWAY FROM TOWN	FARM.	
				at Manuel's 1896,	FARM. \$ 6	00
Mary	Shuffle	burg, was	hing a	•	\$ 6	00
Mary Geo.	Shuffle W. Clou	burg, was igh, wood	hing a	it Manuel's 1896,	\$ 6	
Mary Geo. V Mrs. J	Shuffle W. Clou eremia	burg, was igh, wood	hing a	nt Manuel's 1896, seph Manuel, 1896,	\$ 6	25
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Nancy Sr.	iumebur	g, wasnin	g at Manuel's,		I	00
Maine In	sane Ho	spital, bo	ard Jane L. Stone and	d		
Ida l	L. Steve	ns, and E	liphalet P. Wildes, Jr	, 1	95	64
F. P. Per	kins, coa	d for Mar	nuel, 1896,		6	00
Dr. G. F.	Merrill	medical a	ttendance Jos. Manu	iel,	38	00
Dr. G. F	. Merril	l, medica	attendance Norto	ı		
Smit	h family	7,			32	00
Dr. J. R.	Haley,	medical	attendance Wm. P			
Smit	h and fa	mily,		,	50	85
Maine In	sane Ho	spital Bo	ard of Jane L. Stone	,		
		E. Wilde	s, Jr.,		94	60
C. H. Ch					42	,00
			g at Manuel's,		4	00
H. A. We		-			9	75
			dical services Mrs			
	ard Wel				10	00
		t of M.	E. parsonage to E.			
Curti	′				32	00
		-	ard of Jane L. Stone			
		_	Wildes, Jr.,		96	90
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Manı	,				I 2	50
		medical	attendance Norton			
Smith	*				30	
W. F. Wa						25
			aleb Moody,		6	00
	_		Jos. Manuel,		19	
			Mrs. W. Baston,		18	72
•	imons,	care of	Sylvester Furbush's			
wife,					7	85
Geo. W. V	Vildes, fo	or keepin	g 360 tramps,	1:	26	00
C. H. Cha	ippell, si	applies,			54	00
			o Sylvester Furbush,		3	00
"	"	"	E. Curtis,	. ,	_	
"	"	"	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		25	25
			W. P. Smith and			
			family,	1	I 2	86
"	"	"	Joseph Garland,		1	50

P. A.	Twambly, s	upplies to	Jo	s. Manuel,		70	ΟI
66	66	"	Jo	s. Manuel's widow,		15	53
66	44	61	bo	oots and clothing			
	·			to Ella Tanner,		7	83
"	66	"	su	pplies to Wm. P.			
				Smith,		18	95
"	66	"	su	pplies to Chas.			
				Boston,		10	65
66	: 6	"	Jo	s. Garland,		6	69
66	" b	al. on boo	ots a	and shoes to Bas-			
		ton fam	ily,			5	25
					\$1,	257	59
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		SNC)W	BILLS.			
Nahui	n S. Adams,	Dist.	No.	29,	\$	ΙO	25
Wm. 1	M. Hutchins	, "	"	20,		6	00
Chas.	W. Clough,	"	"	25,		4	68
Thom	as Brand,	"	"	21,		14	18
Wm. J	. Thompson	,	"	26,			81
-O. W.	Downing,	"	"	22,		18	80
A. J. 1	Rounds,	66	"	4,		10	60
Thom	as Perkins,			37,		2	70
John '	Γ. Hill,	+6	"	23,-		4	80
T. L.	Furbush,	4.6	66	34,		6	70
Andre	w Perkins,	"	"	9,		I	30
T. L.	Furbush,	4.6	"	34,			60
М. С.	Clough,	44	"	13,		8	40 9
Rufus	Kingsbury,	"	"	35,		8	00
C. C.	Perkins,	"	"	51,		I	20
Hiran	1 H. Towne,	"	"	2,		3	00
	O. Emmons		"			4	00
Sam'l	McCutcheor	n, "	"	Ι,		22	55
John 1	E. Seavey,	"	"	7,		4	20
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W. F. Moulton,

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Howard Benson,	Dist.	No	. 44,			2	65
Roscoe G. Wildes,	44	"	32,			2	_
Gilbert Thompson,	"	"	42,			6	_
Emerson Thompson,	"	"	42,			5	
Henry W. Smith,	"	66	31,			6	
Sidney Averell,	44	44	6,			10	0.0
Willie H. Washburne,	"	"	3,			15	88
J. H. Jeffery,	"	"				8	25
Chas. E. Durrell,	44	"	18,		141	6	20
R. A. Campbell,	"	"	11,			3	80
Geo. Hutchins,	"	"	15,			20	00
Daniel McIntire,	66	"	39,			3	50
N. S. Adams,	66					11	00
R. S. Gilpatric,						2	80
Nahum Smith,	" .	"	28,			2	20
F. T. Hill,	"	"	23,	1896-7		4	00
Chas. H. Walker,	66	"	19,			ΙI	30
B. F. Coleman,	"	66	17,			7	50
Forest Waterhouse,	"	66	28,			2	20
James Bowles,						1	00
Geo. H. Merrill,						4	40
A. A. Hutchins,							45
Samuel McCutcheon,							75
					\$3	275	07
Т	'OWI	V S	СНО	OLS.			
Fred L. Wyman, janito	or vil	lage	scho	ool,	\$	I 2	25
Martha B. Cluff, teachi						74	-
Fannie M. Durrell, tea						84	
Fred A. Durrell, wood,	etc.,	Du	rrell	school,		15	00
Grace Atherton, teachi					1	20	00
G. R. Pinkham, janitor						. 8	00
Horace B. Stuart, teacl	hing '	Wil	des s	chool,		66	00
Pearl O. Hutchins, teac	ching	Ca	pe gi	rammar school,	I	14	00
G. R. Pinkham, janitor	and	rep	airs (Cape school			
building,						16	65
Helen F. Ward, teachin	ng Ca	ape	scho	ol,		84	-
Donzelle E. Benson, te	_	-				96 (

Fred Wyman, Janitor village school building,	.4	75
Mrs. Edward Williams, cleaning school building,	6	87
Mrs. M. McCabe, cleaning school building,	6	00
Mrs. Geo. Millner, cleaning school building,	6	00
H. L. Huff, hauling coal etc., Cape Porpoise		
school,	2	10
G. R. Pinkham, janitor Cape school,	1	90
A. M. Welch, school supplies,	2	00
Benj. Drown, wood for Town House school,	18	38
Lucy J. Wildes, cleaning Wildes school building,	4	00
Harry E. Jeffery, cleaning school house and wood,	6	00
John G. Smith, teaching village school,	8	00
H. A. Wells, wood for Hutchins school house,	5	00
Elmer M. Roberts, care school building No. 6,	6	00
Harold S. Fairfield, cleaning school building and		
premises,	8	50
H. A. Wells, wood for Cape and Wildes schools,	11	00
Fred L. Wyman, janitor and extra village school,	2 [95
Horace B. Stuart, teaching Cape grammar		, ,
school,	66	00
Edna Clough, Grace Smith and Effie Billings,		
cleaning Robinson school house,	2	00
Fred L. Wyman, repairs and services,	6	60
W. W. Chappell, Wood dist. Iron bridge,	14	50
Mrs. Dan'l Balch, cleaning Burnham school		
house,	2	00
Fred L. Wyman, labor on school house and		
grounds,	3	25
Ralph W. Leach, care of Hutchins school		3
house,	2	80
Pearl O. Hutchins, teaching Wildes school,	107	25
Helen F. Brand, teaching Hutchins school,	72	50
Jennie A. Meserve, teaching North Chapel		
school,	79	75
Bertha Smith, teaching Robinson school,	77	00
Grace Atherton, teaching village grammar		
school,	I 1 2	00
Donzelle E. Benson, teaching village primary	0.0	
school,	88	00

House D Stuart tooching Come acheel	
Horace B. Stuart, teaching Cape school, Helen F. Ward, teaching Cape primary,	57 00
Rose M. Seavey, teaching Dist. No. 10,	79 5° 66 00
Geo. H. Tarbox, teaching Burnham school,	
	121 00
Mary E. Coleman, teaching Town House school,	77 00
Hattie B. Jeffery, teaching Beaver Pond school,	66 0.0
Harry D. Jeffery, wood " " "	2. 25
Grace A. Smith, care of school near Robinson,	2 00
Ethel Leach, care of Town House school,	2 00
Henry B. Dennett, school supplies,	8 47 66 oo
Martha B. Cluff, teaching Iron bridge school,	
Fannie M. Durrell, teaching Durrell school,	77 00
Sadie Green, cleaning Smith school house,	3 00
Daniel McIntire, wood Dist. No. 8, in 1896,	6 00
Bell & Fletcher, school supplies,	10 74
C. H. Walker, wood for Burnham school,	8 25
W. F. Walker, coal for village schools,	38 10
C. E. Towne, making out six diplomas,	2 10
Frank Meserve paid for cleaning Town House	
school house,	5 50
Frank Meserve, labor on Cape and Wildes	
Dists.	2 50
Mary Hayden, cleaning school house Dist. No.	
2,	3 00
F. P. Perkins, coal for Cape school,	4 26
" " Village school,	22 I2
Fred L. Wyman, janitor services and repairs,	4 20
G. R. Pinkham, janitor Cape school,	2 50
A. T. Chisholm, cleaning vaults, 1896,	5 00
" " " 1897,	. 5 00
City of Biddeford, Tuition pupils 1892 to	
1897,	114 34
Horace B. Stuart, teaching Wildes school,	40 00
Fred L. Wyman,	2 10
Fred L. Wyman, janitor village schools,	6 00
Harry D. Jeffery, wood, Dist. No. 11,	11 50
Hattie B. Jeffery, teaching Beaver Pond school,	60 00
Geo. H. Tarbox, teaching Burnham school,	110 00

Helen F. Brand, teaching Hutchins school,	67	14
Jennie Meserve, teaching No. Chapel school,	72	50
H. A. Wells, wood to Cape school,		50
Bertha S. Smith, teaching Robinson school,	70	
Martha B. Cluff, teaching Iron Bridge school,	60	00
Ethel Leach, care of Town House school house,	2	00
Fannie M. Durrell, teaching Durrell school,	70	00
Mary E. Coleman, teaching Town House school,	70	00
Fred L. Wyman, janitor and repairing chairs,	3	45
Horace B. Stuart, teaching Wildes school,	60	00
H. S. Fairfield, teaching Cape grammar school,	104	50
Alice M. Brooks, teaching Smith school,	60	
Donzelle B. Benson, teaching village primary		
school,	85	00
Grace A. Smith, care Robinson school room,	2	00
Helen F. Ward, teaching Cape primary school,	72	00
Edwin Hutchins, wood to Dist. No. 2,	7	00
Alice M. Brooks, care of school room,	2	00
Samuel G. Wildes, cleaning vaults, etc.,	5	00
Fred L. Wyman, janitor,	I 1	00
A. L. Cleaves, teaching village grammar school,	100	00
G. A. Perkins, wood, Dist. No. 10,	ΙI	00
W. T. Walker, coal to village schools,	23	59
Stephen L. Smith, wood, Robinson school house,	3	35
Hattie B. Jeffery, teaching, Dist. No. 11,	55	20
Harry D. Jeffery, wood etc,,	14	00
Helen F. Brand, teaching Hutchins school,	62	ΙO
Horace B. Stuart, teaching Wildes school,	50	00
Grace A. Smith, care Robinson school room,	2	00
Fred L. Wyman, setting glass, repairing chairs, etc.,	4	95
Mary E. Coleman, teaching Town House school,	64	40
Martha B. Cluff, teaching Iron Bridge school,	57	20
Fannie M. Durrell, teaching Durrell school,	64	40
Fred A. Durrell, wood, etc.,	11	19
Bertha S. Smith, teaching Robinson school,	64	40
Elmer M. Roberts, care of school house Dist. 6,	6	70
J. E. Haynes, wood for Iron Bridge school,		00
Geo. W. Clough, wood, Dist. 4 and 13, " school supplies,	33	-
school supplies,	5	19

Geo. H. Tarbox, teaching Burnham school,	105	70
Mrs. Alice M. Emery, teaching Smith school,	57	00
Ethel Leach, care Robinson school room,	2	00
Harold Fairfield, teaching Cape grammar school,	92	00
Maurice Ridlon, janitor Cape school,	13	75
W. H. Pinkham, school supplies,		84
Jennie Meserve, teaching North Chapel school,	66	65
Donzelle E. Benson, teaching village primary		
school,	78	20
A. L. Cleaves, teaching grammar school,	92	00
F. B. Perkins, coal to Cape schools,	20	25
F. B. Perkins, coal to Village schools,	42	52
J. W. Fairfield, sundry bills paid,	11	90
Fred L. Wyman, janitor,	8	50
Horace B. Stuart,	42	00
Charles H. Walker, wood for Burnham school,	9	00
Geo. B. Carll, school supplies,	46	35
Geo. B Carll, Supt. of schools,	160	00
Helen F. Ward, teaching Cape primary school,	64	40
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	E. Cousens & Sons, Ins. for school buildings,		59	25	
	Hiram H. Towne, putting in water pipes, Dist.				
	No. 4,			75	
	W. W. Chappell, painting and stock,		ΙI	10	
	H. B. Dennett, hardware for school house re-			- 0	
	pairs,			28	
	Geo. F. Seavey, repairs on Cape school house,		2	.,	
	H. O. Proctor, mason work, Geo. M. Grant, labor school building and ma		4	62	
	terial,		- 7	50	
	E. Cousens & Sons, Ins. North Chapel School				
	house,		I 2	50	
	A. J. Rounds, repairs on Wildes school house,		15	00	
	W. H. Maling, repairs on village school build-		_ 0		
	ing and premises,		10	00	
	W. W. Chappell, painting school building and material No. 9,		20	80	
	W. F. Walker, school repairs Wildes school		-)		
	house,		30	14	
	Stephen L. Smith, school repairs Robinson				
	school house,		14	55	
*	Frank Meserve, repairs on school buildings,		4	37	
	Chas. O. Huff, insurance on Burnham school buildings,		16	00	
	Geo. B. Carll, school repairs, Dists. 2, 3 and 4,		74	06	
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	TEXT BOOKS.			_	
	American Book Co., school books, 1896,	\$	37	84	
	Werner School Book Co., text books and sup-				
	plies in 1896,		95	98	
	Geo. B. Carll, paid for books in 1896,		45	97	
	Boston School Supply Co., school supplies,		2	04	
	Chandler Adjustable Co., school supplies in 1896,		25	80	
	Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,		25 160		
	L. E. Fletcher, school supplies,			25	
	A. M. Welch, "			14	
	Geo. B. Carll, school books,			98	
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DISCOUNT ON TAXES.

G. F. Smith, 6 per cent. discount \$8,973 53 to		
· July 1st,	\$538	4 T
G. F. Smith, 4 per cent discount \$3,659.81 to	#330	
Oct. 31,	146	30
	\$684	80
ABATEMENTS.		
G. F. Smith, abatement on commitment of 1895,	\$51	49
The above abatement was made to Collector by		
assessors of 1896 and 1897 and held in his		
hands.		
G. F. Smith, abatement on commitment of 1893,	.55	74
	\$107	23
BRIDGES AND CAUSEWAYS.		
Geo. W. Clough, nails, 1896,	# 2	0.0
Nahum S. Adams, labor on causeway,	\$ 3	00
Wm. J. Thompson, labor on causeway,		44
Almon H. Smith, labor on causeway Dist. 11,	14	
Rufus Kingsbury, repairing causeway,		50
Samuel McCutcheon, labor on causeway,	19	
Howard Benson, labor on causeway,		00
Wm. H. Hutchins, Days Mill bridge, 1896,	27	
Gilbert Thompson, labor Dist. 42,	2	
Emerson Thompson, labor Dist. 42,		00
L. E. Fletcher and others, labor on causeway		
Dist. 7,	24	40
Chas. E. Durrell, new causeway,		75
Geo. G. Grant, labor on Water street causeway,		00
H. L. Littlefield, labor on bridges Dist. 33,	14	00
R. A. Campbell, labor on bridges and causeway,	- I	50
Almon H. Smith, labor on causeway,	3	00
H. B. Dennett, material furnished,	8	44
Walker Bros., labor on causeways Dist. 38,	8	50
C. S. Ham, drain pipe,	5	28
Henry Eaton, edge stone, 1896,	3	00
Erastus Wildes, labor on causeway,	4	00

W. T. Walker, lumber,	26	61
L. M. Perkins, drain pipe,	13	04
Jos. F. Mitchell, labor and material,	3	40
Day Bros., stone for Bartlett bridge, 1896,	16	00
" rough stone,	16	75
L. B. Howe & Co. drilling holes for rails Union		_
street bridge,	IO	25
Lewis Wildes, labor Union St. bridge,		50
Samuel G. Wildes, labor on causeway Dist 4.,		00
Samuel G. Wildes, labor on causeway Dist.		
No. 5,	4	75
Samuel G. Wildes, labor self and team Union		
street bridge,	7	50
J. M. Smith, stringers for bridge and labor and		0
sand,	0 1	00
W. A. Plummer, labor on causeways,	5	85
T. L. Furbush, labor on causeways,		60
Dan'l Balch, labor on bridges,	_	25
Mousam Water Co. blasting ledge, Main street,		00
James Bowles, labor on drain, Dist. 3,		50
Samuel Pinkham, painting rail Union street		J
bridge,	2	00
Samuel Hutchins, labor rail Union street bridge,	I	50
J. H. Taylor & Son, repairing washout on cause-		J
way in Dist. No. 48,	22	80
Newton I. Perkins, stringers for bridge and		
labor,	5	00
Geo. A. Perkins, labor on causeways,		50
L. M. Perkins, drain pipe,		75
Geo. G. Grant, labor on causeways Dist. 3,		00
Geo. H. Merrill, repairing causeways,		00
Hardy Machine Co., iron fence for Union street	Ü	
bridge,	64	00
Wyman Hutchins, labor on causeway Dist. 24,		75
A. A. Hutchins, " " "		50
Wm. Bartlett, bridge plank,	30	•
Geo. H. Hall, sharpening drills, etc.,	10	_
W. F. Walker, lumber,	24	
W. F. Walker, lumber,	24	28

Owen L. Brand, labor on culvert,	3	60
Marcellus Cluff, laying drain pipe Dist. 33,	I	50
L. P. Dow, labor on causeways,	7	00
Daniel E. Balch, repairing bridges and laying tile,	.9	50
Lewis Wildes. labor on causeway Dist. 4,	3	00
Willie H. Clough, laying culvert and drain tile,	Ü	
etc.,	0	50
Henry Schmidt, covering rocks for sluiceway	- 7	5
Dist. 5,	2	00
Chas. F. Adams, material and labor Dist. No. 10,		75
Wm. H. Hutchins, drain pipe,		68
Hobbs Gooch estate, plank and timber,	-	
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Charles H. Walker, bridge plank,	25	78
	\$653	16
PERKINS' BRIDGE.	, " 55	
	#	
Israel Smith, labor,	\$27	
Charles Nutter, labor,	13	
Charles F. Green, labor,	14	
J. H. Sweat, labor,		50
Walker Bros., hauling stone and labor,	48	
Thomas Perkins, stringer for bridge,	10	50
George A. Perkins, labor and lumber,	24	75
George A. Perkins, bills paid,	18	82
Andrews & Horigan Co., cement,	5	IO
F. M. Carle, painting walls,	4	25
J. H. Taylor & Son, hauling stone,	20	00
Edwin Emmons, labor,	14	00
George W. Ross, stone furnished,	64	
George A. Perkins, material and labor,	16	
Henry Eaton, stone furnished,		70
Troning Edition, Stone Turnishou,		
	\$303	86
MISCELLANEOUS.		
George W. Clough, miscellaneous bill, 1896,	\$6	90
Lewis Wildes, work on gravel pit,		50
A. A. Dolliff, ballot clerk and constable from	3	3
1892 to 1896,		0.0
1092 to 1090,	,١٥	00

G. F. Silltin, services as constable, 1890,	15	00
Agnes McGinnis, care of Edw. Williams' family,	5	00
Fairfield & Moore, legal advice,	5	00
William O. Leach, repairs on town house,	I	50
J. E. Seavey, overwork in Dist. 7,	8	75
Wm. J. Thompson, hauling stone,	1	75
John F. Hill, overwork in Dist. 23,	3	50
Andrew Perkins, overwork in Dist. 9,	2	87
Record Publishing Co., printing Town Reports,	81	50
T. L. Furbush, overwork in Dist. 34,	2	55
H. L. Schmidt, gravel,	2	60
Rufus Kingsbury, gravel and overwork,	5	60
C. C. Perkins, overwork in Dist. 51,	7	85
Charles W. Clough, overwork and gravel,	3	77
Stephen D. Deshon, overwork,	6	00
N. B. Walker, legal services, 1895-6,	53	00
Loring, Short & Harmon, town books and sta-		
tionery,	23	52
John E. Seavey, six months' services, building		
inspector,	I 2	50
A. J. Rounds, overwork and gravel in Dists. No.		
2, 4 and 33,	35	80
Howard A. Benson, overwork in 1896,	4	50
Roscoe G. Wildes, overwork,	6	I 2
F. H. Cousens, supplies for E. Williams and family,	6	75
W. H. Hutchins, Jr., overwork, Dist. 39 and 42,	26	29
Henry W. Smith, overwork, Dist. 30,	4	00
J. H. Jeffrey, labor on highway,	28	50
G. A. Perkins, bills paid for labor on highway,	5	60
Chas. E. Durrell, cutting bushes,	3	00
Almon H. Smith, gravel,	5	80
Almon H. Smith, gravel,	5	.40
Enoch Cousens, painting, papering tenement oc-		
cupied by E. Williams' family, by order of		
board of health,	11	72
Hamlin L. Littlefield, overwork in Dist. 33, 1896,	62	75
George Wormwood, overwork,	2 I	50
R. A. Campbell, overwork,		3.3

Fred W. Leach, repairing room at Poor Farm,	ľ	00
H. B. Dennett, supplies for selectmen's office,	1	20
F. T. Hill, overwork and gravel, Dist. 23,	3	10
Walker Bros., labor on highway Dists. 28 and 37,	17	50
Charles F. Green, labor on highway Dist. 37,	I	50
James E. Haynes, overwork and gravel,	6	25
Lorenzo T. Hill, damage to sheep in 1896,	I 2	00
Charles Smith, gravel,	3	10
Emeline Mitchell, gravel,	Ţ	25
Erastus Wildes, labor on highway,	3	00
Fred Leach, painting guide boards, etc.,	2	00
George H. Currier, lamb killed by unknown dogs,	3	00
Isaac D. Adams, services as policeman, from		
July 3 to Aug. 1,	58	00
John F. Jackson, labor Grelogue cess pool, per		
order board of health,	5	00
Almon H. Smith, burying seals, per order board		
of health,	3	00
E. K. Scamman, steel for drills, 1896,	I	87
George W. Trefethren, labor and gravel,	5	74
George G. Grant, labor, self and team, Dist. No. 2,	I 2	00
F. P. Perkins, coal for selectmen's office,	I	10
Edw. G. Wildes, labor, Dist. 4,	3	00
Isaac D. Adams, services as policeman 31 nights,	62	00
W. H. Maling, blocking for blasting,	2	00
A. J. Rounds, gravel, Dists. 2 and 4,	22	50
Henry B. Mitchell, labor and gravel, Dist. 19,	23	19
Samuel G. Wildes, overwork Dist. No. 4,	3	25
Ivory Bickford, gravel Dist. 31,	26	50
W. A. Plummer, overwork self and others, Dist.		
15,	8	02
Geo. Hutchins, post for guide board and setting,	2	00
T. L. Furbush, labor on highway,	3	35
H. L. Littlefield, overwork Dist. 33, 1897,	58	98
Daniel Balch, extra work on highway,	9	95
Samuel Hutchins, labor on roads,	3	00
James Russell, cleaning out cess pool and loam		
Grelogue cottage,	16,	00

J. J. Goodwin, labor and loam Grelogue cess		
pool,	2	00
Samuel Meserve, watchman,	I	00
Orlando Cleaves, gravel, Dist. 5,	I	20
Walter Smith, mowing grass damaged by blasting		
rocks in C. L. Perkins' field,	2	50
Seth Stinson, labor Dist. No. 30,	8	42
J. M. Harper & Son, labor on highway Dist. 42,	I 2	00
Henry M. Schmidt, overwork Dist. No. 5,	ĪO	50
G. F. Smith, 2 per cent. com. collecting \$10,000,		
com. 1897,	200	00
Hiram Towne, overwork Dist. No. 2,	6	00
J. E. Seavey, 6 mos. salary inspector of buildings,	I 2	50
Newton I. Perkins, gravel, Dist. No. 52,	2	27
Biddeford Journal, printing and advertising,	5	50
Samuel G. Wildes, overwork Dist. No. 4,	22	25
Geo. H. Merrill, labor on highway,	4	50
C. W. Huff, sharpening drills, etc.,	3	30
G. F. Smith, commission due collecting bal. of		
taxes of 1893 commitment,	169	73
L. E. Fletcher, overwork, dist. No. 7,	4	85
Peter Gregoire, watchman night of July 3d,	2	00
B. F. Coleman, repairing washouts Dist. 17,	15	20
Willie H. Clough, cutting bushes Dist. 13,	3	00
Jacob L. Curtis, extra work, gravel, etc., Dist.		
No. 12,	20	88
Geo. W. Wildes, gravel, Dist. 4,	3	4 0
Andrew Perkins, extra labor on highway Dist. 9,	I 2	50
A. A. Hutchins, gravel, Dist. No. 8,	2	88
Loring, Short & Harmon, town order book,	7	00
Dr. A. W. Langley, returning births and death		
certificates 1896,	4	00
Daniel E. Balch, repairing road Dist. 21,	I	50
Lewis Wildes, labor on road Dist. 4,	3	00
Sylvester Furbush, overwork,		64
A. E. Haley, in settlement of injuries claimed		
by C. F. Andrews on account of defective		
sidewalk.	1.5	00

L. P. Dow, overwork,	II	00
Chas. F. Adams, gravel and overwork Dist. 10,	6	85
Geo. W. Clough, powder and fuse, nails, etc. etc.,	19	07
W. H. Hutchins, overwork and gravel,	4	16
Wm. H. Emery, gravel in 1896 and 1897,	4	45
L. P. Dow, blasting Dist. No. 9,	I 2	00
C. E. Thompson, gravel and overwork Dist. 23,	11	00
C. E. Thompson, gravel 1895 and 1896,	7	40
Hugh McIntire, labor on road machine and		
causeway 1896,	. 3	50
Samuel McCutcheon, services fire warden, 1897,	4	00
J. J. Goodwin, services board of health,	20	00
" moving office furniture,	I	25
F. B. Perkins, auditing accts. 1896-7,	2	00
William M. Hutchins, overwork Dist. No. 20,	2	00
Dr. A. W. Langley, services board of health,	20	00
" returning births and deaths,	7	50
William H. Cluff, services truant officer,	5	00
" watchman July 4 and Aug. 25,	4	00
Hiram Goodrich, labor on highway,	4	00
Geo. B. Carll, set copper and dry measures,		
office stove, etc., etc.,	2 I	80
Isaac D. Adams, watching one night in Sept.,	I	50
Andrew Perkins, services selectman, assessor		
and overseer of poor,	70	00
J. W. Fairfield, recording deaths, births and		
marriages, etc.,	25	50
W. F. Walker, fire warden, for services of seven		
men watching at Ocean Bluff fire,	14	00
W· F. Walker, fire warden, F. L. Welch's bill for		
coffee and labor,	5	00
W. F. Walker, fire warden, D. Goodwin & Son's		
bill for refreshments,	2.	85
C. O. Huff, services as town treasurer,	50	၀၁
George A. Perkins, services as selectman, assess-		
or and overseer of the poor,	86	00
P. A. Twambly, services as selectman, assess-		
or and overseer of poor,	98	00

	-	time and expense inspecting		
	s and br		25	00
		xr, John A. Merrill estate, ser-		
		nt officer, 1896 and 1897.	10	00
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		me and expense pauper cases,		36
44		making returns to State assess-		5 -
		ors,	5	00
4.		meeting board of State as-	3	
		sessors.	2	00
44	46	cash for registered letters and		
		postage,	2	08
44	6.	disinfectants for use of board		
	,	of health, 1896, freight on		
		plank's, 1897, tools, lanterns,		
		etc.,	9	65
1. 44	**	supplies furnished E. Williams,		
		per order board of health,	I 4	34
			\$2,046	85
HIG	HWAY	SURVEYORS ACCOUNT FO	R 1897.	
District	No. 1.	Jos. H. Jeffery,	\$270	75
	2.	Hiram H. Towne,	52	
	3.	R. Paul Benson,	137	37
	4.	Samuel G. Wildes,	54	38
	5.	Henry Schmidt,	25	26
	6.	Everett W. Seavey,	53	47
	7 ·	Luman E. Fletcher,	107	
	.8.	Geo. F. Hutchins,	39	88
	9.	Andrew Perkins,	15	
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	II.	Almon H. Smith,		54
	Ι2.	Jacob M. Curtis,	30	
	13.	M. C. Clough,	_	94
	14.	Chas. M. Smith,	31	16

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SELECTMEN'S LIST, 1897, DIST. NO.	50.	
Paid Leonard P. Dow, labor, Dist. No. 8,	I 2	00
James Russell, labor on Wakefield's hill,	9	75
Lewis Wildes, labor on Wakefield's hill,	9	00
Samuel G. Wildes, labor on Wakefield's		
hill and Dist. No. 4,	25	25
Bickford Brooks, Wakefield's hill,	7	00
George G. Grant, "	13	00
Samuel Hutchins, " "	9	00
" labor on road,	3	00
" Union street and bridge,	3	25
Charles Littlefield, Wakefield's hill,	7	00
Erastus Wildes, " "	9	00
Hiram H. Towne, " "	ΙO	00
Andrew Perkins, labor, Dist. No. 8 and 24,		
and paid for powder, fuse, etc.,	16	90
Ammi Hutchins, labor, Dist. No. 9,	3	50
D. W. Seavey, " " 24,	2	25
Hiram Goodrich, " " 8 and 9,	I 2	00
Horace H. Smith, " " 3,	4	35
George F. Perkins, " " 3,	4	95
L. P. Dow, blasting rocks, 19 and 24,	ΙO	05
James T. Perkins, labor on road,	I	00
Lemuel M. Brooks, labor on Wakefield's		
hill,	I	00
Taxes uncollected,		Ι0
Cash paid treasurer,	33	67
	\$233	02
MOUSAM WATER CO.		
Hydrant rental,	\$500	00
SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.		
NEW DRAW BRIDGE AND APPROACH.		

Geo. H. Davis, crossing tender,	10	50
George H. Davis, crossing tender,	10	50
Wm. H. Hutchins, Ir., paid freight and stone.	I 2	00

Geo. H. Davis, crossing tender,	_21 00
Edward Eaton, grates for manholes and making	
six drills, 1896,	10 60
Geo. H. Davis, crossing tender,	10.50
Geo. H. Davis, crossing tender,	10 50
Samuel Hutchins, labor, striking drills,	15 00
Chas. F. Littlefield, " "	15 00
Geo. H. Davis, crossing tender,	10 50
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W. H. Maling, use of pile driver and labor,	32 87
Willie H. Washburne, labor,	11 38
Mark Goodwin, labor,	8 75
Samuel McCutcheon, labor,	10 94
Chas. G. Seavey, labor,	. 11 38
Howard Maling, labor,	1 75
Jordan & Richardson, civil engineers' total bill	
of Kennebunk and Kennebunkport, \$305.00	
Kennebunkport's share,	152 50
George H. Davis, crossing tender,	10 50
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Groton Bridge Co., on draw bridge account,	1,500 00
L. H. Howe & Co., labor on pier,	35 80
Lutelle S. Hutchins, backing rocks, 1896,	9 02
Geo. H. Davis, care of lamps and lighting same,	
300 days,	10 50
Lewis Wildes, labor on approach to draw bridge,	5 25
Chas. Littlefield, labor striking drills,	4 00
Chas. F. Balch, labor on approach to draw bridge,	_ 8 .38
Hardy Machine Co., iron fence for bridge and	
approach,	195 70
Deering Winslow & Co., planks for roadway,	21 05
George G. Grant, setting curbing, etc.,	29 00
Samuel McCutcheon, labor,	I 00
Hiram H. Towne, grading roadway,	3 75
Samuel Hutchins, grading roadway,	5 25
E. H. Fifield, concrete sidewalk,	65 66
Hiram H. Towne, grading roadway,	7,50
, 0, 0	,,,,

Howard Wildes, labor on roadway,	6	75
Chas. Littlefield labor on roadway,		75
Eben E. Smith, backing rocks, 1896,		30
Warren Chemical Mfg. Co., balance due on con-		
crete walk,	132	00
Chas. O. Eldridge, labor on new bridge,	7	50
James C. Perkins, freight on stone,	9	00
Chas. O. Eldridge; labor on bridge,	11	00
Chas. W. Hoff, sharpening drills, etc.,	7	78
George G. Grant, labor on roadway and setting		
curbstone, \$18.00 and credit by drills, \$1.75		
net,	16	25
Samuel G. Wildes, setting curb, and labor on		
roadway, etc.,	16	00
Lewis Wildes, setting curb stone and labor on		
roadway,	ΙΙ	25
Albert Chisholm, labor with team on roadway,		50
Jos. H. Jeffery, labor hauling material for road-		
way,	49	52
C. H. Walker, plank,	-	97
Erastus Wildes, labor on stone,		50
J. F. Goldthwaite, balance due Samuel McCutch-		
eon for labor on bridge trusteed by admr.,		
James Cousens' estate, 1896-7,	30	06
Edward Chase, gravel for roadway,	I 2	60
Day Bros., curbstone,	36	05
W. H. Maling, use of derrick in setting curbstone,	_	00
Groton Bridge Mf'g Co., settlement of bridge ac-		
count,	1,404	43
Charles Ward, southern pine and oak plank,		77
James Bowles, labor on roadway,	6	00
George H. Hall, iron work for bridge,	15	16
David Clark, rent of wharf for approach of tem-		
porary bridge from March, 1896, to April,		
1897,	64	5.4
J. J. Goodwin, labor on roadway,		83
Samuel McCutcheon, balance due for labor on	3	J
bridge 1896-7,	2	7.5
5.1450 1090 /,	ث	1.0

Jacob M. Wildes, labor on bridge,		12	50
P. A. Twambly, telegraphing, tele			J
fares and time in bridge settle		2.4	76
	•	76	
Horace H. Smith, labor on bridge	roadway,	13	00
		\$4,253	5.5
Cr.			
By Kennebunk town order on brid	dge account,	\$425	00
		\$3,828	55
AGGREGATE APPROPRI	ATIONS ASS	*	33
INCLUDING STATE AN		LOOLI).	
	D COUNTY TAX.	#	
For support of schools,		\$2,300	
1 001,		1,500	CO
" " Bridges,		500	00
" " Contingent expens	ses,	1,500	00
" Town debt and interest,		2,300	00
" Discount on taxes,		600	00
" High school,		800	00
" Text books,		200	
" Insurance and repairs, " Hydrant rental		300	
rryarant rentar,	1,000		
" Snow bills, " State tax,		200	
" County tax.		3,441 1,386	
" Overlays,		708	
" Uncollected highway taxes	1806.	149	
e nooneeved ing. way takes	,		
		\$16,885	59
The foregoing amount \$16,885.5 follows:	59 was raised as	3	
	# -		
Resident real estate, Non-resident real estate,	\$711,320 00 289,490 00		
Non-resident real estate,		81,000,810	00
Resident Personal estate,	162,430 00	, ,	
Non-resident personal estate,	7,300 00	_	
		\$169,730	00
Grand total amount,		1,170,540	.00
Less Town Farm,		1,170,540	
		1,169,540	
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Furniture, 10,300 00 Musical instruments, No. 68, 4,310 00		Bicycles, April 1st, No. 3,			60	00
Musical instruments, No. 68, 4,310 00		Carriages, No. 161,			8,890	00
		Furniture,			10,300	00
\$169,730 00		Musical instruments, No. 68,			4,310	00
				#	169,730	00

TOWN OF KENNEBUNKPORT IN ACCOUNT

1897		Dr.		
	To Paid	Huldah A. Harris, state pension	\$48	00
	"	Bounty on 32 seals,	32	00
April 15,	"	Town bonds No. 72 & 73,	1,000	00
July 10,	44	Temporary loan Ocean Nat'l		
		bank,	800	00
July 10,	**	" C. Trott,	200	00
Aug. 26,	4.6	County tax,	. 1,386	74
Sept. 1,	"	State for dog tax,	146	00
1898				
Jan. 1	44	State tax,	3,441	.05
	44	Interest on Town debt,	956	09
Jan. 17,	• •	G. F. Smith, Col. com. collect-		
		ing taxes assessed Dist. No. 4,		
		1893-4,	35	06
Feb. 14,	"	Town bond No. 65,	200	00
	"	Outstanding orders 1896-7,	32	02
	**	·· 1897-8,	16,863	07
Feb. 16,	**	Bal. due from G. F. Smith, Col.		Ċ.
		1894,	114	47
"	44	Bal. due from G. F. Smith, Col.		
		1895,	414	02
44	4.6	Bal. due from G. F. Smith, Col.		
		1896,	860	48
66	"	Bal due from G. F. Smith, Col.		
		1897,	4,184	68
	"	Bal. due. Treas. to town,	.26	51
			\$20.740	

\$30,740 19

We have this day examined the foregoing accounts of the treasurer and found them to be correct with proper vouchers for all money disbursed.

P. A. TMAMBLY, Selectmen of GEO. A. PERKINS. Kennebunkport.

Feb. 17th, 1898.

	WITH CHAS. O. HUFF, TREASURER FOR 1897.	
Mar. 9,	By balance in the treasury, \$1,066	95
April 12.	" tem. loan note Ocean Nat'l bank, 787	
**	", demand note No. 5, 1,000	-
April 1.	" " 6 and 7 and	
	interest, 2,030	65
April 15.	8 500	00
April 20.	1,000	00
April 20.	" Cash from State rebate on dog	
	license,	17
May 8,	" Cash from C. Trott demand note, 200	
Aug 7,	" E. C. Damon, bowling alley license, 10	
Sept. 1,	" Dana F. Cluff, pool table license, 10	
Sept. 1,	" Town clerk dog license, 146	00
Oct. 1,	" From Town of Kennebunk on	
NT	acctnew bridge, 425	00
Nov. 22,	Trom city of baco for services	
	of Drs. Merrill and Langley to	
	Mr. Wm. Welch,	00
	Cash from state treasurer for	
1808	High schools, 250	00
1898 Jan. 1.	By cash from State, railroad, and tele-	
jan. 1.		70
	graph tax, By cash from State school fund and mill	79
	tax, 1,446	87
	" " State Huldah A. Harris	0 /
	pension, 48	00
Jan. 17.	" " G. F. Smith Col. on com.	
~	of taxes to school dist.	
	No. 4, year 1894, 4	87
Feb. 14.	By cash from Ruth Ellen Godard for	•
	expense of sewer,	00
Feb. 15.	By cash from State bounty on seals,	
	1896-7,	00
	By cash from State for high schools	
		00
	By cash selectmen's list highway tax	
	list,	
	By balance from G. F. Smith, Col. 1894, 356	
	" " " " 1895, 837	51
	" " " " 1896, 3,271	
	" " " " 1897, 16,885	59
	\$20.740	T.O.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TOWN.

BOND	S AND NO	TES OUTST	ANDING.	INTER	EST TO A	APRIL 1, 1897.
No. 6	51, Apr. 1,	'81, 2 to	6 years, \$	1,000	at 4 1-2	per
	, \$22 50,	,	, , ,		·	\$1,022 50
No. 6	52, Apr. 1	, '81, 2 to	6 years, \$	\$1,000	at 4 1-2	per
ct.	, \$22 50,			٠.		1,022 50
No. 6	55, Apr. 1,	, '81, 2 to	5 years, \$	5200, n	o interes	st, . 200 00
1, De	ec. 1, 1896	ó, 10 years	, \$500 4 1	per ct ,	\$6.66 2-	3 \$506 66 2-3
2,	"	66	"	"	44	506 66 2-3
3,	44	**	"	66	66	506 66 2-3
4,	"	4.6	66	6.6	66	506 66 2-3
5,	4.6	66	44	66	44	506 66 2-3
6,	4.4	66	"	"	66	506 66 2-3
7,	66	6.6	66	6	44	506 66 2-3
8,		66	**	"	66	506 66 2-3
9,	"	"	66	66	66	506 66 2-3
10,	**	6.	66	4.	66	506 66 2-3
и,	66	4.6	. "	66	66	506 66 2-3
Ι2,	"	44	"	66	"	506 66 2-3
13,	4.6	44	66	66	44	506 66 2-3
14,	"	66		66	44	506 66 2-3
15,	"	"	"	66	"	506 66 2-3
16,		. "	"	66	4.6	506 66 2-3
17,		44	"	"	"	506 66 2-3
18,	"	66	"	"	"	506 66 2-3.
19,	"	"	66	44	44	506 66 2-3
20,	66	"	"	66"	66	506 66 2-3
2І,	"	"	44	"	"	506 66 2-3
No.	1, Dec. 1,	'96, dema	nd note,	\$400, 5	gerct.,	
at	\$6 66 2-3	3,				406 66 2-3
No. 2	2, Dec. 11	, '96, dem	and note,	\$5,00	o, inter-	•
es	t paid to J	an. 1, '98	5, 5 per ct	., at \$6	2.50,	5,062 50
No.	3, Jan. 27	, '97, dem	and note, §	\$500, 5	per ct.,	
at	\$4 37 1-2	,				504 37 1-2
No.	4, Jan. 27	, '97, dema	and note,	\$500, 5	per ct.,	
at	\$4 37 1-	2, .	1			504 37 1-2

No. 5, Apr. 10, '97, demand note, \$1,000, 5 pe	r		
ct., at \$23 61 1-2,	1,023	61	1-2
No. 6 and 7, Apr. 1, '97, demand note, \$2,000	>,		
5 per ct., at \$50 00,	2,050		
No. 8, Apr. 15, '97, demand note, \$500, 5 per ct.	• •		
at \$11 81,	511	8 I	
April 20, '97, demand note, \$1,000, 5 per ct.; a	.t		
\$22 22,	1,022	2 2	
Aug. 16, '97, demand note, \$1,000, 5 per ct., a	.t		
\$25,	1,025		
Balance due high school,	\$125	65	
Outstanding orders,	195	84	
	\$25,276	17	1-2
RESOURCES.			
Taxes balance due 1894,	\$1	14	47
" " " i895,		.14	
" " 1896,		60	
" " 1897,		84	
Cash in treasury,		26	
Town farm and contents,		00	-
Nunan House,		50	
Balance against town,	17,8		
	#		
	\$25,2	76	17
Town voted to raise for bridges, 1896,	\$20,5	00	00
Bonds and notes negotiated, 1896, \$16,900 oc			
" " " 1897, 3,500 00)		
	\$20,4	00	00
Balance unexpended,	\$ 1	00	00
L. E. FLETCHER WM. F. WALKER	, AUDIT	ror	s.

Feb. 17th, 1898.

TABLE SHOWING FINANCIAL STANDING,

OF THE TOWN AT THE CLOSE OF EACH MUNICIPAL YEAR AS ${\tt FOLLOWS:} \\$

1864 Net Indebt's	\$28,839 22	1893 Net Surplu	s \$1,350	39
1865	46,604 33	1894	662	37
1866	48,022 21	1895	2,081	51
1867	40,197 40	1896	3,777	90
1868	34,753 99	1897 indebt's,	13,992	27
1869	18,452 15			
1870	13,288 92			
1871	12,523 73			
1872	9,151 16			
1873	6,151 16			
1874	11,685 47			
1875	14,170 42			
1876	12,898 85			
1877	10,431 36			
1878	8,391 31			
1879	9,767 33			
1880	9,185 08			
1881	7,072 38			
1882	5,589 43			
1883	4,991 62			
1884	3,817 78			
1885	4,594 28			
1886	3,965 77			
1887	3,73 I 34			
1889	2,049 00			
1890	414 87			
1891	419 42			
1892	32 74			

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

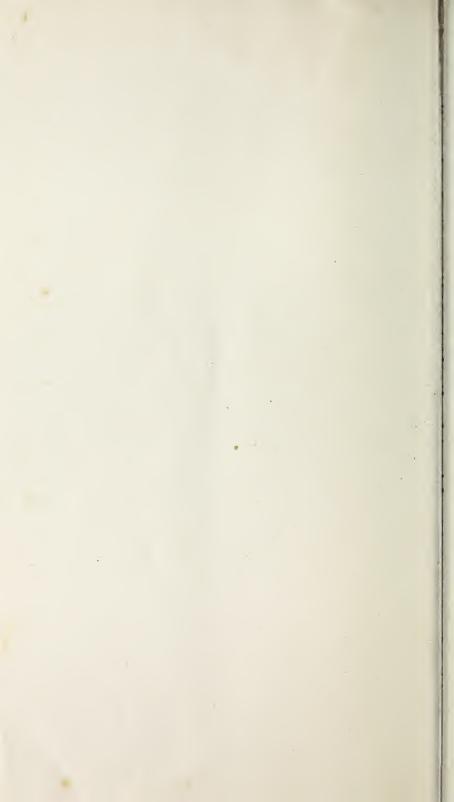
We congratulate the people of our town on their almost entire freedom during the past year from disease of an epidemic form.

One case of diphtheria, and nine cases of nuisance have come to our knowledge; all of which we have caused to be abated.

There has been some improvement in the sanitary condition of the Indian houses near the Ocean Bluff, and we hope all proper precautions will be taken to avoid danger from that cause in the future.

IVORY BICKFORD,
A. W. LANGLEY, M. D.,
JOSIAH J. GOODWIN.

Board
of
Health.



School Report.

The condition and progress of the common schools of Kennebunkport for the year ending March 7, 1898, is respectfully submitted in the following annual report:

GENERAL STATISTICS.

CENSUS.

School census of Kennebunkport, April 1, 1897:	
Number between the ages of 4 and 8,	128
" " 8 and 15,	- 254
" 15 and 21,	215
	597
Number of schools in town,	15
" - · " graded,	15
Average number of days for each school,	151
Number of terms taught during the year:	
Common schools,	42
Free High,	3
Whole number of weeks of school for year,	459
Number of terms taught by male teachers,	13
" " female "	35
Average length of spring terms in days,	55
" " fall " "	50
" " winter " "	46
Number of school houses containing more than	
one room,	2
Number of school houses containing only one	
room,	IO
Number of school houses in good condition,	10
Number of different teachers employed for the	
year,	:8

Number of male teachers employed in the spring, "female" "winter,	3
Highest salary paid male teacher, for month,	13
including board,	\$88 89
Smallest salary paid male teacher, for month, in-	#100 Oly
cluding board,	\$40 00
Average,	\$60 44
Highest salary paid female teacher, for week, in-	\$00 44
cluding board,	\$10 00
Smallest salary paid female teacher, for week, in-	ψ10 00
cluding board,	\$6 00
Average,	\$7 25
Whole number of pupils attending spring term,	318
Average " " " "	269
Whole " " fall "	289
Average " " " " "	253
Whole " " winter "	268
Average " " " " "	222
Whole number enrolled for the year,	362
Per cent of number enrolled to whole number	J
per census,	61
Per cent average attendance to whole number	
registered,	85
Amount raised by town for common schools,	\$2,300 00
" supplies, repairs, insur-	
ance,	\$300 00
" received from State, being town's pro-	
portion of school fund,	\$1,446 87
" raised by town for High school,	\$800 00
" received from State,	\$375 00
" raised by town for free text books,	\$200 00

It is now incumbent upon the superintendent to make a statement of facts of the condition and progress of the common schools for the past year. There have been thirty and one-fifth weeks in all parts of the town. A comparison between the condition of the schools as a whole with that of last year reflects a lower standard of efficiency than we at first set for them. We hold the well being of the schools paramount

to all personal interests and prejudices. The greater number of scholars in the several districts under the care of efficient teachers have made commendable progress while in others a spirit of discontent among the citizens has manifested itself. The committee received a petition signed by forty-one legal voters of school number three, for the dismissal of the grammar school teacher from any further services. notice to the teacher and to the petitioners a meeting of the committee to act upon the petition was held at the school room on Dec. 29th, the result of which, the majority of the committee after investigation, voted to continue the services of the teacher. We have no word of censure for any one, but believe such a contest detracts from the best interests of the community. There has been a variance among some of the parents in district number ten about their children going to school where they legally belong, the consequence of which the pupils have been conveyed to other districts at the parents' expense.

The committee thought it advisable to suspend the operation of this school and furnish transportation of the children but a petition signed by nearly all the voters and tax payers in the district was received to continue one in their house which was granted by the committee. The law of 1897 will apply to some of the schools having too few scholars for their profitable maintenance which is a question for the next school board to solve. The section touching this question provides that any public school failing to maintain an average attendance for any year of eight scholars is discontinued, unless the town shall vote at its annual meeting to instruct its committee to maintain the school.

According to the law, the Hutchins number two, the Iron Bridge, number nine, the Smith, number ten and the Beachwood, number eleven, have failed to maintain the average attendance and will be suspended unless otherwise instituted by the town. For the support of schools it is hoped the appropriation will be kept equally as large or larger than last year,\$2300, in order to support thirty weeks in all parts of the town. From the common school fund are paid the teachers'

wages and board, janitor's services, transportation of scholars, fuel, necessary apparatus and appliances for the use of schools.

The superintendent cannot be authorized by the school board to approve plans for new school houses, to fill vacancies, to recommend a change in location of school houses, to expel disobedient scholars, to dismiss teachers when services are unprofitable, to determine the number, beginning and length of terms. The duties of school officers may be familiar by a hasty view of these particular points.

The policy of the town for more than thirty-five years has been to allow a number of the scholars living on the Mountain road, to attend school in Biddeford, and the funds derived from this number have been expended in that city. are twelve scholars living in this district, and eight attending school, a right they have by vote of the town; but in view of the small attendance in the Durell district it may be suspended by law at any time. If these scholars are required to be educated in our own town the school will be retained and the funds derived from that source appropriated for its support. The superintendent must provide the transportation of all pupils residing in the town to the nearest suitable school during the full terms, for which they are maintained, when such pupils reside at such distance from the school as to render such transportation necessary, but the law is silent as to what distance or when such conveyance is rendered needful.

Towns are now authorized, if they so vote, to unite for the purpose of electing a superintendent who shall devote his entire time to this work. This seems experimental for the town to adopt this course for its financial interests or for obtaining more efficient instructors. The local superintendent is in closer touch to the parents and pupils than the non-resident and he understands better the requirements of the town. The law is a long stride towards centralization, as the teacher must hold a State certificate which assigns the central fountains of our whole school system to Augusta.

Our High school, with Principal E. L. Haynes at its head, is doing its usual good work. That the work is better appreciated each succeeding year is established by the constant in-

crease in the number of pupils. It affords instruction in advanced studies, rendering it capable for the scholar to fit for college in our own town. In proportion to the number of inhabitants it is one of the largest High schools in the State,

Fifty pupils are now in attendance, which is suggestive that our tax payers should not be lacking in interest in promoting its growth, nor niggardly in the expenditures for its support, as it carries to the youth of our town privileges of a higher character than the common school can furnish. These advantages afforded us are widely extended, for one half of the number of scholars reside in the outlying districts.

There are four young ladies in the Robinson school, under the care of an efficient teacher, pursuing the classical course, going on in the same methods and in the same books of their class, also one in each school respectively, Durell, Burnham, Beachwood and Cape giving their attention to the English studies of the High school. We clearly and most emphatically favor the scholars attendance in the High school whenever it is practicable. At the close of the next term there are indications that the graduating class will take a high rank. At the termination of the last year the graduating exercises took place in the Congregational church and a class of six received their diplomas, viz: Miss Agnes M. I. Gould, Miss Mabel O. Littlefield, Miss Cynthia B. Perkins, Miss Ruth A. Peabody, Miss Minnie E. Trafton, Miss Carrie L. Wells.

The course of study in the rural schools has been helpful to the teacher and the pupil. It was been followed with faithfulness to accomplish a certain amount of work within a specified time. A few of the parents have desired that their children be advanced to higher studies when it was apparent that a serious injury would be inflicted upon them by assigning a course of study beyond their grade. Such books to study should be given the child rank fits her to use.

At the beginning of the term in each year the scholars will hold a grade certificate whose rank in examination averages seventy-five per cent. to admit them to the next higher grade.

In this State it has been well established that the school year closes in June, consequently the committee employs all

the teachers whose services are to continue through the year. The statutes require all between eight and fifteen to attend school fifteen weeks in the year and nearly all have met the requirements.

In conclusion we recommend the appropriation of one thousand dollars to be expended for the support of the High school, twenty-five hundred dollars for common schools, three hundred for repairs, supplies and insurance, and three hundred for text books.

GEO. B. CARLL,
Superintendent.

Feb. 17, 1898,

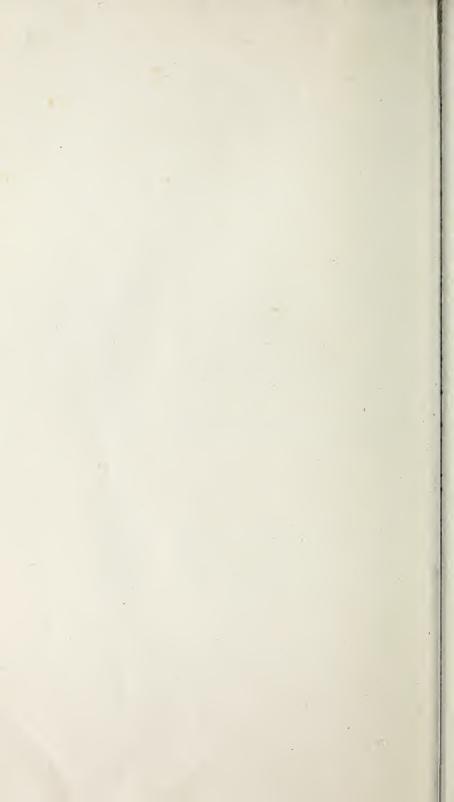


Summary of Sebool Register for the Municipal Year 1897-8.

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Teacher.	Bertha S. Smith Bertha S. Smith Bertha S. Smith Helen F. Brand Helen F. Brand Helen F. Ward Horace B. Stuart Harold S. Fairfield Douzelle F. Benson Donzelle F. Benson Mary G. Atherton A. L. Cleaves A. I. Cleaves
Name of School.	Robinson Hutchins Cape Primary Cape Grammar Village Primary Village Grammar

Summary of School Register for the Municipal Year 1897-3.—Continued.

Mary E. Coleman	April-5	June 18	II	24	21	7	77 00	
Mary E. Coleman	Aug. 23	Oct. 29	IO	21	19	1	20 00	
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Stuart	Sept. 6	Nov. 12	01	47	41	Io	100 00I	
Horace B. Stuart	Dec. 6	Feb. 10	8-I 6	46	37	Io	92 00	
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Principal,	Dec. 28		12	, 25 22	40	22 22	266 64	
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ynes, "	Sept. 7		13	8	42	22 22	288 86	
Assistant.	Dec. 28					9 50	114 00	
	March 29	June 11	12			9 50	104 50	
Helen A. Sewall, "	Sept. 7	Dec. 3	13			9 50	123 50	
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Roll of Monor.

Scholars Not Absent One Day.

ROBINSON SCHOOL.

Spring Term—Celia Deering, Herbert C. Gray, Chester T. Adams, Leroy E. Smith, Ralph S. Smith, Ernest C. Smith.

FALL TERM—Celia Deering, Vera V. Stone, Herbert C. Gray, Sidney C. Leach, Leroy E. Smith, Ralph S. Smith.

WINTER TERM—Grace A. Smith, Celia Deering.

HUTCHINS SCHOOL.

Spring Term—Clifford Hutchins, Harold Hutchins, Florence Leach, Irving Perkins.

FALL TERM—Harold Hutchins, Clifford Hutchins, Irving Perkins.

WINTER TERM-Irving Perkins.

CAPE PRIMARY.

Spring Term—Alice Hutchins, Hannah Seavey, Vira Cluff,
Martha Averill, Ines Seavey, Sylvia Nunan.
John Cluff, Eddie Stone, Geo. Ridlon, Harold
Cluff.

FALL TERM—Alice Hutchins, Ines Seavey, Tena Baston, Edwin Fletcher, Herbert Nunan, John Cluff, Harold Cluff, Eddie Stone, Geo. Ridlon, Mattie Hutchins, Frank Hutchins.

WINTER TERM—Eddie Stone.

CAPE GRAMMAR.

Spring Term—Geo. H. Huff, Henry B. Huff, ——Huff, Florence B. Seavey, Arletta Tibbetts.

FALL TERM—Martha Averill.

WINTER TERM-Howard Perkins, Nellie Baston, Annie Hutchins.

VILLAGE PRIMARY.

- Spring Term—Sadie B. Goodwin, Ethel J. Maling, John C. Maling, Raymond W. Seawood, Alice L. Tuck, Gertrude Tuck, Laura L. Tuck, Geo. W. Twambly, Vernon A. Welch, Irving Williams, Grace L. Perkins.
- Fall Term—Sadie B. Goodwin, Ethel I. Maling, John C. Maling, Raymond W. Seaward, Alice L. Tuck, Gertrude L. Tuck, Laura L. Tuck, Geo. W. Twambly, Vernon A. Welch, Irving Williams Grace L. Perkins.
- WINTER TERM—Robert Downs, Geo. W. Twambly, Irving E. Williams.

VILLAGE GRAMMAR.

- Spring Term—Edna Chisholm, Bessie Hawkins, Edward Millner, Raymond Rounds, Harold Gould, Geo. S. Norton, Henry Goodwin.
- Fall Term.—Mary Hawkins, Fred Twambly, Walter Goodwin, Violet Huff, Louise Twambly, Edna Chisolm, Ned Robinson, Geo. D. Norton, Willie Twambly, Rufus Twambly.
- WINTER TERM—Arthur Wyman, Andrew Warner, Henry, Cluff, Merrick Lamb, Walter Goodwin, Chas. Proctor, Hazel Merrill, Edna Chilsholm, Mary Grant, Edwin Millner, Melville Millner, Geo. D. Norton, Willie Twambly.

TOWN HOUSE.

- Spring Term—Fred Buzzell, Ralph Benson, Nellie Boston, Grace Clough, Rowena Clough, Eugene Merrill, Eva Merrill, Wilbur Littlefield, Harold Perkins, Eva Smart.
- Fall Term—Fred Buzzell, Ralph Benson, Nellie Boston, Grace Clough, Rowena Clough, Maud Patrick, Willis Patrick, Eva Smart, Harold Perkins, Abner Perkins, Eugene Merrill, Eva Merrill, Chester Leach.
- WINTER TERM—Fred P. Buzzell, Ralph Benson, Grace M. Clough, Rowena Clough.

BURNHAM.

Spring Term—Florence Welch, Chester Clough, Alfred Plummer, Dixey Benson, Roy Welch.

FALL TERM—Susie Balch, Lucy Currier, Roy Welch, Willie Mitchell, Daniel Townsend, Waldo Plummer, Alfred Plummer.

WINTER TERM—Elmer Mitchell, Clara Plummer.

DURELL.

Spring Term—Guy I. Sweet, Willie L. Day, Ethel G. Day. Fall Term—Millie L. Day, Albert L. Staples, Herman Leavitt, Ethel G. Day, Fannie L. Staples.

NORTH CHAPEL.

Spring Term-Minnie Dennett, Mabel Beatty.

FALL TERM—Morrel Harper, Albert Thompson, Mabel Thompson, Zilpha Harper.

WINTER TERM—Morrel Harper, Wilder Hutchins, Mabel Beatty.

IRON BRIDGE.

Spring Term—Stephen J. Bowden, Maud A. Chappel, Ruby E. Chappel, Ethel A. Eastman.

FALL TERM—

WINTER TERM-

SMITH.

Spring Term—Alice Green.

FALL TERM—Alice Green.

WINTER TERM-Alice Green.

BEACHWOOD.

SPRING TERM-Archie Smith, Frank Emmons.

FALL TERM-Frank B. Emmons.

WINTER TERM—Frank B. Emmons.

WILDES.

Spring Term—Lucinda Cluff, Edner Wildes, Ethel Bell, Edith McKenney, Ruby Huff, Phebe McKenney, Delmer M. McKenney, Geo. McKenney, Elmer Shuffleburg, Loren Griffin, Ernest Thompson, Harry Hutchins.

FALL TERM—Harry O. Banks, Rachel L. Russell, Lucinda G. Cluff, Loren W. Griffin, Henry M. Griffin, Phebe McKenney, Samuel S. Wildes, Elmer Shuffleburg, Delmer M. McKenney, Irvin W. Mitchell.

WINTER TERM--Samuel S. Wildes, Lucinda G. Cluff.

List of those who were Assessed More than a Poll Tax, 1897.

Adams, Cyrus K.,			Burnham, Daniel A.,	38	84
heirs,	43	49	Bickford, John W.,	68	50
" Charles B.,		27	" Ivory,		30
" Joseph K.,		•	Buzzell, Elijah,		II
heirs.	I 2	ΙI	" William,	4	00
" James, heirs,	18	62	Brooks, Joseph, heirs,	19	9.5
Atkins, Edward H.,	15	57	" Lemuel,	28	
Allen, William H.,		16	" George H.,	9	05
Andrews, William,			" Bickford, W.,	2	
heirs,	15	96	Brown, Sylvester,		
Averill, George F.,	18	49	heirs,	73	26
" н.,	3	99	Boles, Hugh,	ΙI	
" Eben, heirs,		-06	Boston, Cyrus,	I 2	26
Albert, Rose,	6	65	" John F.,	2	93
Benson, Dixey, heirs,	48	55	" John W.,	ΙΟ	92
" Charles O.,	28	86	" Francis, heirs,	13	30
" Herbert,	2	53	" William H.,		
" Robert P., " Albion W.,	28	73	and Mrs.O. F.		
" - Albion W.,	11	05	Hutchins, " Charles J., " John G.,	5	32
" Henrietta L., " Howard A.,	5	32	" Charles J.,	9	98
" Howard A.,	20	89	" John G.,	14	10
Balch, John, heirs,	18	62	" Orren,	4	66
" Charles F.,	2	27	Bowden, John N.,	13	70
" Daniel E.,	7	99	" Charles,	I 2	64
" Harry R.,	2	40	Brand, Thomas,	23	28
Bays, George H.,	94	83	Bailey, Leon R,	7	32
Baston, Hattie,	5	31	Benson, Earnest,	4	00
Boothby, Isaac M.,	2 I	95	Beatty, George or un-		
Billings, Nathaniel,		98	known,	15	57
Bourne, George, guard-	-		Carll, George B.,	33	
ian,	73	15	Casey, Elizabeth,	6	65
Bell & Fletcher,	45	2 I	Cooper, George F.,		
Bell & Torrey,		95	or unknown,	14	
Berry, Solomon,		98	Cousens, Enoch,	83	25
Bell, John, heirs,	-	59	" Frances H.,	39	24
Burnham, Aaron,	15	03	Coleman, Enoch T.,	53	47

Coleman, William,	15	96	Clark, Edward P.,	3	06
" Benjamin F.,	31	13	" George H.,	13	
" Fred G.,	27	80	" Fred,	3	
Cole, Judson W.,	9	58	Chappell, Willis W.,		68
Crediford, Israel, heirs		32	" Charles H.,	. 1	33
Currier, George H.,			Chapman, Sarah W.,	43	89
" Joseph N.,	13	04	Curtis, Caroline,	9	
" Charles H	23		Currier, Fred,		00
Campbell, Robert, A.,	26	47	Davis, Alexander, heir	s, 5	32
Chick, George H.,	9	05	Day, Charles, heirs,	29	
Chick, George H., Curtis, Jacob M., "Isaac,	16	50	" C.,	17	
" Isaac,	18	36	" Albert H.,	10	24
" Enoch, " William,	15	30	" Fannie, Mrs.,	5	32
" William,	19	29	" Frances	I 2	37
Cluff, William H.,	30	33	" John F.,	2 I	5.5
" Israel,	3	32	" Alden B., heirs.,	29	
" Israel, " Noah,	13	57	" Octavious,	ΙÍ	31
" Thomas S	3	33	Dolliff & Googins,	2 I	85
" Marcellus,		43	Dearing, Ira,	33	
Cole, Fred or unknown	, 5	32	Downing, Oliver W.,	32	
Cluff, Harvey N.,		66	" Samuel,	34	
" Herbert D.,	7	32	Downs, Frank,		18
" Dana S.,			Dolliff, Almon A.,	38	13
" Albert,	2	93	Dobson, Margaret,		00
" Charles O.,		06	Durrell, William F.,	45	
Clough, David F,		2 I	" Abbie C	13	
" Melville C.,	15		" Charles E.,		73
" Horace, heirs,		14	" Joseph H.,	9	
" Charles W.,	20	•	Drown, Benjamin,	19	
" Otis K.,	22	88	Dennett. Israel, heirs.,	29	26
" Jason, heirs,	7	25	Dennett, Cyrus.	_	33
" George W.,		10	" Henry B.	17	
((Edi., 11	2 I		Dow, Leonard,		33
Willie H., " Wary D.	13	70	Dudley, Daniel H.,	47	
" Mary D.,		00	Dearborn, George G.,	4	
" Charles W. B.,	2 I	I 3	Dearborn, Olive E.,	10	
Cleaves, Irving J.,	54	_	Dow, Orlando,	12	
" Felicia,	26		Driscoll, Eliza or un-		,
" Theodore,			known,	10	64
heirs,	15	43	Downs, Susan J.,	2	
" Howard M.,	38	18	Durgin, Albion L.,	9	
	13		Eldridge, Benjamin	,	, -
" Albert,	9		**	25	12
Clark, David,	65	84	Emmons, Charles B.,	3	-
Clark, David, " Henry, " George,	5	00	heirs,	5	32
" George	5	10	Emmons, Oliver,		
Contract,	J	40	,	,	/ "

Emmons, Warren,	10	38	Grant, Ira W.,	~ ~	46
Emmons, Joshua, heirs			Gilpatric, Dearing,	55 29	
Emmons Caorga	9, 4	91	Gendron, Jeremiah,	-9 9	
Emmons, George "Charles O.,	2	40	Grant, David, heirs,		
" Charles B.	2	40	" Wheelwright,	2 I	0
Chancs D.	* 0	* *		17	
& Orlando	, 10		" George G.,	5	
·· Isaiah, ·· Jonas,	7	59	Gusting, Julia,	6	32
" George T	0	91	Green, Henry W., Benjamin.	6	
George I.,	31	77	" Benjamin, " Andrew,	5	7 I
minut,	3	06	Andrew,	5	
wiight i.,	7	32	" Jacob, " Frank Wilbur, " Charles D.	I	
Daniel Co.,	ΙI	3 I	Frank Wilbur,		53
" TAOLITS,	17	57	Citation 21,		93
" Washington		0	Grey, William,	7	
T.,	2		Ghen, Ephraim T.,	10	0
Tvory,	4	53	Gregoire, John,		13
" Calvin,	6	26	" Petre,		00
" Roscoe B.,	2	67	Gilman, Charles H.,		33
" Edwin, Eaton, Joshua,	14	24	" Rose,		65
Eaton, Joshua,	7	85	Griffin, Washington,	7	
Enton, Joshua, Emerson, Luther,	,29	27	Garside, John,	I 2	63
Furbush, Timothy L.,	14	10	Green, Charles Fred-		
" Sylvester,	4	66	erick,	2	40
Folsom, Samuel L.,			Grover, Montie M.,	17	56
heirs,		28	Hall, George, heirs,	31	12
Folsom, Lydia A.,	2		" " Н.,	6	45
Fletcher, John B.,	15	69	" John,	7	32
" George L.,	ΙI	30	Hall & Littlefield,	66	50
Fisher, James A.,	7	32	Harriman, Alvin,	2	93
Fairfield, Joseph W.,	2 I	95	Harrop, Joseph,	1	33
Fletcher, Albert,	11	30	Haynes, James E.,	19	10
Goodwin Benjamin F	,15	57	Harris, James D.,	11	97
" Daniel,	33	39	Hawkins, Daniel,	35	65
" Fred R.,	19	29	Hoff, Benjamin, heirs,	17	29
" Edward A.,	14	05	" Charles W.,	6	64
" Josiah J ,	5	32	Hanscomb, Eliza,	2	00
Daniel, Fred R., Edward A., Josiah J, Rodney,	7	32	" George W.,		
Gould, Alexander,	·		heirs,	12	29
heirs,	38	17	Hadlock. Warren,	13	0
heirs, "Betsey,	20	48	Ham, John, heirs,	_	45
" Samuel H.,			Hill, Nathaniel,	23	_
heirs,	50	5.3	Hinds, William H.,	25	
	6	66	Houghton, Jonas,		37
	13		Hutchins, Moses,		٠,
Gooch, George,	59		heirs,	14	63
Gilpatric, Robert S.,	42		Hutchins, Ammi A.,	26	
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Hutchins,	William H.,			Huff, Robert H.,	. 2	53
	Jr.,	25	81	" Charles O.,	23	68
4.6	William M.,	28	06	" Payson,	II	
66	George L.,	34	32	" Albert,	8	-
4.6	• 6	26	07	" Hannah,	9	30
44	Granville,	50	68	" Harrison,	7	32
	Thatcher,	J		" George P.,	16	-
	heirs,	7	18	" George Edgar,	ΙI	31
"	Edward L.,	,		Hooper, Phina A,	8	91
	Jr.,	7	32	Hurst, Samuel,	28	73
66	Edwin,	45	35	Hazelton, Sarah M.,	. 7	98
66	Stephen,	6	92	Hockman, Henry A.,	72	48
"	Owen B.,)-	" David A.,	11	97.
	heirs,	5	32	Harper, Abigal M.,	3.5	91
66	Josiah H.,	9	98	Harper, Joseph M., &	33	91
66	Robert C.,	8	65	Son,	61	18
66	Daniel C.,	15	70	'Irving, Frank,	74	
66	Burleigh S.,	3	33	Jelleson, John M.,	25	54
4.6	Octavious,	28	61	Jennison, Maverick M	2.5	45
	Lavina,	7	98	Jeffrey, Samuel A.,	29	-
	Henry B.,	17	03	" Alexander	15	
	George F.,	27	14	" Alexander, " Eleazer,		65
6.	Frank G.,	- /	14	" Jere G.	10	64
	heirs,	0	20	" Joseph H.,	40	
6.6	Samuel,	9	30 98	Jackson, John F.,		06
66	Wyman E.,	5		Kennebunkport Sea	3	00
66	Albert E		50		569	2.4
66	Herbert F.,	3	33	Kingsbury, Rufus,	5 U 9	24
	Mary A.,		67	Knight, Mary J.,		
	Lutelle	5	53	" Joseph,		32
	Merton P.,	4	92	Kimball, Fred W.,		53
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	n, Mahlon,	18	63	" Aaron	9	31
Huff, Hen		ΙΙ	58	. 1 1 0 11,	20	. /
	on B., heirs,	39	90	Leach, Charles F.,	14	
	veous P.,		66	Leach, Alpheus,	9	31
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Midit	ha A.,	8	91		7.	90
	ner M., heirs,		68	Lewis, Benjamin, heirs,		97
	niah,	5	33	Langsford, Henry L.,	49	22
CICII	nent, heirs,	23		Littlefield, Joseph F.,	- (
	, heirs, Q.,	5	32	heirs,	16	23
Jonn	Q.,	12	51	Littlefield, John Howard " Isreal		
	sa M., heirs,			151011,	2	65
" Josej	эп,	6.	92	" Irving,	+,	65

Littlefield, Horatio,	ΙO	64	Miller, Joseph H., 15 30	
" Hamlin L.,	2 I	42	Methodist Parish Saco	
" Charles O.,	4	00	road, 3 99)
Langley, Arthur W.,	3	46	Mitchell, Joseph F 29 93	
Lamb, Frank M.,	3		" Emeline, 20 22	
Lord, William M.,		66	" Henry B., 4 66	5
Lord, Willie and Thos.			" Frank G., 13 57	
Lombard, Benjamin F.			Mosher, William E., 15 30	
Leavitt, Chase		3 I		
Lucas, Anthony, heirs,		63	Murphy, Charles B., 10 91	
" Andrew	2.2	88	" Josiah, heirs, 11 70	
	25	27	" Charles A., 16 20	
" Hannah,	1	33	" Frances 22.2	
Lunt, John W.,		34	" William,	Т
" John B.,		95	heirs, 2 93	2
Littlefield, Frank G.,		99.	Moody, William F., 147 50	
Lunt, Rufus, guardian,			Norton, Ruel W., 36 98	
Manks, Phoebe,		65	Nunan, Richard J., 41 90	
Manuel, Emma C.,		23	" Elisha, 11 02	
Mason, Hannah	* 4	48	" George W., 18 og	•
McCutcheon, Samuel,	2	40	" Howard, 10 91	
McCabe, Richard,	, 2	4.	" Charles F., 18 76	
heirs.	17	82	Patterson, William,	
McIntire, Daniel,		71		
" Hugh,		07	heirs, 6 65 " Mark, 16 10)
McGuinnis, Charlotte,		00	Palmer, Henry L.,	
" Agus,	-	40		т
Merrill. Henry A.		67	heirs, 9 31 Parish First Congre-	L
Maling, John B.,	7 1			1
" Mary E.,	7	98	95 1 1 T 11	
Merrill, Andrew K.,			Perkins, Lydia, 322 93 " Christopher	٥
McKenney, Nicholas,	.59	-	C., 8 6:	_
Merrill, George H.,		,	Packard, Charlotte, 19 62	
" Susan E.,	45	73 28	Perkins, Clement,	+
" John A.,			heirs, 18 80	
John I.,		57	" Joseph K., 8 7)
" George F.,	7	32	" John I. 102 5	
George F.,	38	31	John D., 102 32	
" Elizabeth D., heirs,		2.2		
		33 66	Abilet, fields, 35 30)
Millner, George W.,			Taisted II.,	
Meserve, William,		66	heirs, 36 4.	
" Abram C., Frank,		62	James 1., 31 9	
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Miller, Charles E.,	103		James D., 42 /)
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George W.,	13	97	G., 46 82	2

Perkins, Newton O.,	3S'	9.7	Ridlon, Lewis C.,	. 4	08
" George F.,		71	Russell, Nora,		59
" George A.,		5.5	Seavey, Howard.	-	00
" Charles H.,		23	" Everett W	25	
Perkins & Seavey,		30	" Everett W., " John E.,	- 6	
Perkins, John,		66	" Hulda,		70
" Abbie E.,		85	" Hulda, " Mathew B,,		87
" Harry F.,		27	" George F.,	16	
Pope, Amelia, heirs,		96	Seawood, Martha E.,	5	32
Pillsbury, James H.,	. 3	90	" Charles W.,		98
heirs.	1.1	97	Sinnott, William O.,	_	29
Pollard, Josie R.,		74	" Lemuel S.,	-	93
Pinkham, Seth H.,		14	Shaw, Daniel W.,		05
heirs,	7.4	2 I	Shehan, Mary A.,	-	56
" Mary E.,		64	Stevens, Josiah A.,		59
" Indson A.		30	" George N.,	61	
" Judson A., " Gardiner S.,		11	Stinson, Seth N.,		47
" Annie M.,		63	Sennott, Samuel E.,	2 I	
Prince, John F.,		67	Smith, George H.,		50
Proctor, Daniel,		48	" James Wilbur,		36
" Hiram,		66	" William P.,	5	32
" Israel,		76	" Ephriam,		96
" Dorrance,		93	" Horace H.,		83
" Elbridge G.,	-	93	" Jacob W.,	1 5	03
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Prince, Alpheus,		67	" Charles M.,	42	
Perry, William R.,		99	" Isreal,	22	35
Pillsbury, Charles,		64	" Thomas,		54
Patterson, Charles,		60	" Frank M.,	II	
Plummer, Frank A.,	15	30	" Charles W.,	7	44
" William A.,		50	" Walter	40	
Prescott, Ralph,		64	" Petre,	37	
Ridlon, Edward,		65	" John G.,	8	52
Ridlon, Asa F.,		26	" Horace,	42	17
" Simon,	7	98	" Joshua E.,	3	73
Russell, James,		71	" John M.,	31	79
" John, '		67	" Naham,	-	19
Rounds, William H.,	32	46	" Eben E.,		09
" " M		31	" Frank B.,		70
" Judson A.,		52	" Silas G.,	5	63
" Theodore С.,		65	" Gardner F.,		24
Roberts, George A.,	2	27	" Edwin L. and		
Rice, Alexander,	3	3.3	Stephen L.,	65	44
Foss, George W.,	12	0.1	" George Jr		77
Ivory L.,	12	89	" Thomas A.,	7	59
Foss, George W., Ivory L., Ricker, Olive,	3	59	" William E.,		

Smith, Sarah M. B,,	2 I	8 I	Thompson, Benjamin, 65 83
" James B.,	6	65	" Owen, 9 18
- " Orren,		63	" William J., 53 47
		59	" Emerson, 12 64
" Henry W.,		73	" Stillman G., 1 73
Smith & Bartlett,		99	" Chas.Edgar,15 57
" Bertelle A.,		17	" Charles E., 2 67
" Alvah,		20	" Edwin H., 17 30
Sullivan, Daniel K.,		59	" Gilbert, 7 72
Smart, Dennett L.,	2	67	" Miranda E., 8 77
Schmidt, William,		78	" George C., 31 13
" Henry N.,		93	Trott, Cleveland, 32 46
South Cong'l Society,		25	Tripp, James H., 17 13
Stone, Dana G.,	32	_	" Frances A., 3 33
" Martha,	29	· ·	Townsend, Nathaniel, 12 50
" Charles L.,	33	-	Tibbetts, Roswell W., 7 32
"Thomas J.,		9.5	Trefethren, Geo. W,, 17 83
" John L.,	15		Tuman, John W., 6 66
" Dixey, heirs,	26		" Thomas L., 11 30
" Clement L.,	20	10	
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Staples, Fred,			" Fannie E., 297 13
Shuffleburg, Charles,		33 66	Tibbetts, Abial F., or
" Lewis,			unknown, 4 66
Sawyer, William H.,		33	
Staples, Georgia A.,	_		
Sylvia, Esther,	5	32 66	Walker, William, 76 34 "Rufus, heirs, 7 98
Small, Joseph C.,	8	65	" Rufus, heirs, 7 98 " William F., 8 65
Senat, Clementina,			" Lucy C., 21 81
Taylor, Henry C.,		43	11dey C., 21 01
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Taylor, Jere H., Tarbox, Lorenzo,		99	
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" Mary J.,	37	77	Warner, Winfield, 3 99
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" George,		00	Wells, Orren L., 27 27
Torrey, George L.,	28	73	Waterhouse, Orren A., 50 50
Town, Frank H.,	66	26	Wells, Fannie E., 52 14
Thompson, Burleigh			" Harrison A., 34 72
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Welch, A. M., " Albert W.,	38 71 13 70	" Daniel L., 3 60 " Bradbury D., 13 70
Williams, Elizabeth,	30 33	Wormwood, Ivory Jr., 5 99
" Lemuel,	5 19	" George W., 22 48
" Juliette,		Wheeler, Frank K.,
Welch, Addie M.,		heirs, 26 20
Wildes, Jacob M.,		Wheeler, Fred L., 2 50
" Albion P.,	4 30	Woods, John, heirs, 11 94
" George W.,	25 01	Welch, Fred L., 4 00
" Erastus,		Wyman, Samuel P., 2 50
" Henry C.,	8 32	Wheelwright, Wallace R., 4 93
" Alden,		" R.
" Lucy J.,		and S. F.
" Samuel G.,	12 51	Wells, 23 40
" Eliphalet P.,	3-	Webster, Chas. F.,
heirs,		heirs, 4 65
" Van Buren,		Wakefield, Chas. J., 12 63
" Charles H.,	2 67	Welch, Timothy, 4 66
" Julian F.,	4 74	Wormwood, Melville, 10 91
" James M.,		wormwood, mervine, 10 gr
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Non-Resident Owners.

Agnew, Mary H.,	51	87	Buzzell, John C.,	7	30
Allen, Charles, heirs,		66	T. 1 C. T.	-	2 I
Arundel Hall Library	·				33
Association,	37	24			94
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Benson, John, heirs,		63	Clifford, Isaac, heirs,		
" Hiram,		66	01 1 01 1 0		91
" Ora A.,			" Mrs. Susan L., 5		
" Orren Ĵ.,	9				32
" Frances G.,	4	· .	01 7	-	32
Bartlett, Wm.,			Clark, Edwin L.,		
Benson, Jos. H.,	•	70	" Elisha E.,		
Billings, Jos. P.,		•	" Henry P.,	5	10
Bonser, Geo. & Son,		30	" Charles S.,	0	3 I
Burnham, Owen E.,	^ 3	3.			63
heirs,		-27	Carlton, James H., heirs,		_
Banks, Cyrus K.,		65	Curtis, Charles,		65
" John,		64	Chase, Edward, 2		
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Mary A.,		85	Cromby, Susan F.,		
Brazier, Ellen K.,		52	Chappell, Geo. W.,		
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· Cilley, E. L.,	I	26	Fearing, Isabella A.,	7	98
Day, Geo. H.,	5.3	20	Forest, Molton H.,		
" Prentiss,		60	heirs,	93	10
" Gertrude E.,		63	Foster, Chas. M.,		66
Dennett, Abel, heirs,	3	59	Flagg H. Peabody,		06
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" John Q.,		31	" Н. Ј.,		98
Dow, Fred H.,			Fogg, James H.,		02
Durrell, William B.,		64	Fenderson, Adney J.,		33
Dolliff, Ann L.,		65	Flint, Rebecca M.,		99
Donnelley, Mary A.,		32	Greenough, James J.,		63
Durrell, Jesse M.,		35	Googins, John F.,		96
Davis, Lewis,		13	Goodwin, Wm. H.,		83
Davis, Lewis, Ir.,		73	Grant, Stephen,	J	67
" Charles, " Horace,		65	Gilpatric, Thos. L.,	I 2	90
" Horace,		99	Grant, Geo. W.,		73
" Ira,	J	53	Gurney, Stillman, heirs	5, 2	38
" Ivory E.,	7	05	Gowen, Stephen,	19	
Davis, James H.,	,	53	Gates, Chas. H.,		64
" Charles I.,	Q	31	Grant, Samuel, heirs,		66
Dearborn, Frank C.,		98	Greland, Ruth Ellen,		56
Deering, Mrs. John W.,			Greenhalge, F. T.,	,	3
" Wm. H.,	3	_	heirs,	29	26
- Dresser, Mary L.,	_	98	Guilde, Annie E.,	31	
Drew Philip	2	00	Goold, Chas. O.,	5	67
Deland, Lorin F.,	3.5	ΙΙ	Garrard, Margaret H.,	39	
Dow, Sarah,	18	62	Goodwin, Harry H.,	~ .	65
Deland, Lorin F., Dow, Sarah, "Francis A.,	106	00	Hurley Dright,		73
Drown, Ernest,		33	Holt, Benj.,		32
Emmons, Collins,		32	Harmon, Chas. B.,		80
" Thomas A.,	28	60	Hill, John, heirs,	3	59
Estey, Maria M.,		33	Hall, Fannie M.,	43	88
Emmons, Eliakim,	26		Hill, Lorenzo T.,	17	38
" Will,		99	" King S.,		16
Eldridge, Charles,		59	" King S., " Sylvester,		31
Emmons, Israel, heirs,		33	" Justice, heirs,	6	65
Etchells, Joseph,		86	Hill, Frederic T.,	19	75
Emery, Matilda M.,	3	33	" Joseph,	4	66
" Eliphalet P.,		58	" Thomas,		06
Emerson, Eben, heirs,		33	" Stephen W.,	13	
Emery, Louis N.,		00	Haines, Ferguson,		93
Fairfield, Lydia A.,			Hatch, Trafton C. &		, ,
heirs,		53	Co.,	5	32
Fuller, Benj. F.,	5	32	Huff, Benj. E.,		93
Fuller and Dow,	12		Hanson, Horace D.,	5	
Foss, Thomas F.,		31	Hamilton, Arthur S.,	ıŠ	
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Hamilton, Ann B.,	17	29	Mitchell, Stephen S.,		
Haywood, Wm., heirs,		74	heirs	4	74
Hooper, Henry H.,		46	" Byron R.,		32
" George L.,		54	Murphy, John B.,		66
" George L., " Mary D. B.		65	McKenney, George P.,		65
" George L.,		33	Mower, Irving,		32
Hutchins, Emulus		32	Mitchell, John,	3	99
Hoyt, George,	J	67	McMaster, John B.,	65	84
Hooper, Wm. O.,	I	73	Moss, F. W.,	66	50
Harriman, Moses,		30	Nesmith, Mary, heirs,	5 I	39
Henvelman, Sarah E.,	43	-	Nason, Wm. B., heirs,	15	96
Hutchins, Arthur D.,	_	33	Newell, Emma F.,	5	32
Hurd, Byron,	1		Nevins, Annie C.,		Ü
Jordan, Rishworth,	20	62	heirs,	15	96
Jeffery, Lucy, A.,	5	32	Nunan, Arthur,		99
" David, heirs,	3	16	Noble, Mrs. G. W. C.,	2 I	
Jelleson, Artell F.,		99	Osgood, Richard O.,		, 0
Johnson, Mrs. Peter,		99	heirs,	5	32
Jones, Elizabeth D.,	132		Owen, Charlotte,		73
Jordan, Benj. C.,	-	53	Paine, Alice I.,	55	
Kennebunk River			Pendergast, Susan,		99
Club, L. T. Cutter,			Pierce, Wm.,	I	06
treasurer,	38	84	Parsons, Frank,	10	64
Kimball, Fred,	3	59	Piper, Geo. F. and		
" Alfred,		93	Hutchins Geo. F.,	I	32
" Geo. W.,	2	39	Pinkham, Emily G.,	23	41
Leach, Daniel A.,		93	Perkins, Daniel,		53
Luques, Samuel W.,	10	24	Proctor, Mark,		27
Long, William H.,	7	90	" Chas.,	2	00
Libby, Daniel F.,	12	77	Pope, Geo. H., heirs,	19	02
" Harrison J.,			Patterson, Actor P.,		
heirs,	138	.35	heirs,	17	96
Lowe, Nathaniel S.,	3	99	Platt, Rutherford R.,	33	25
Loomist, W. W.,	2	66	" Margaret A.,		65
Larkin, William and			Portland Match Co.,	39	
Walter,	4	66	Peabody, Henry H.,	7	98
Larrabee, Lucy and			Pierson, J. Byron,	7	98.
Nellie,		27	Pierce, M. C.,		98
Mousam M'f'g Co.,		26	Peck, Elizabeth J.,		65
Manning, Charles H.	24		Parrot, Wm. J.,	29	
" F. B.,	6	_	Palmer, Elizabeth C.,	46	-
Maine Granite Co.,	5	99	Patrick, Chas. O.,		5.9
Maine Quarrying As-			Quigley, Chas.,	2	00
ciation,		66	Robinson, Mrs. Evelyn		
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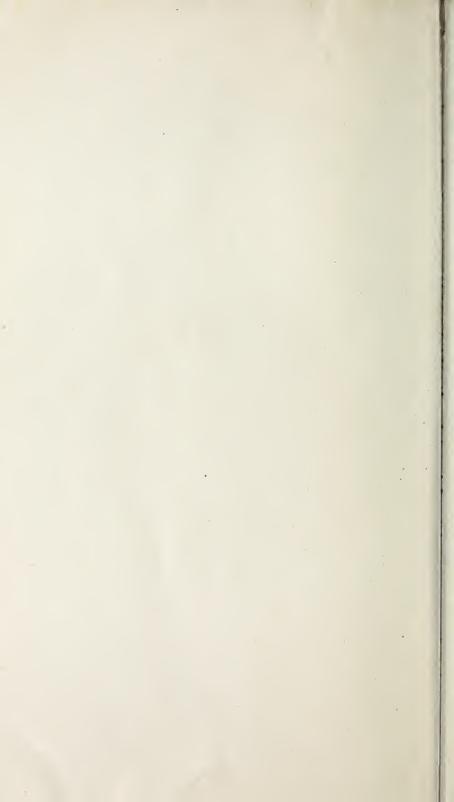
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heirs, 21 28	Swett, John H., 3 33
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Sprague, Frank W., 36 58	Thompson, Geo. heirs, 12 14
" Annie L. and	" Olive P., 3 96
Henry L., 9 71	" Olive P., 3 96 " Wm. S., 1 58
Shepley, Ella J., 33 65	Thirkell, Robert C.,
Smith, Robert S., heirs, 11 44	or unknown, 3 99
" Robert Edward, 53	Tennant, Charles, I 86
" Chas., 2 65 " Geo. I., 7 32	Townsend, Lewis J., 2 26
" Geo. I., 7 32	Taylor, Jonas R., 2 39
r James, nens, 0 05	Ulmer, Guster, 3 16
Saco River Lumber Co.,10 64	Tuck, F. B., 2 66
Smith, Joseph 4th, 63	Whitten, Ivory, 13 30
" John F., heirs, 3.15	Walker, Leonard C., I 86
" Granville or un-	" George N. 1 86
known, 2 66	Wakefield, Jacob, heirs, 4 52
" Woodbury, I 06	" Benj., heirs, 1 73
" Capt. Rob't S., 62 91	Warren, William H., 6 65
" Mary P., 1 60	Whitehead, Darius, 7 98
" Margaret, 9 31	Waterhouse, Hiram, 3 25
" Almon J., 4 74	" Jos. F., 6 65
Saunders, Annie O., 21 95	Walker, Mrs. Martha, 58 52
Severance, Jos. B., 6 65	Wilson, Geo. F., 6 25
Small, Lewis, heirs, 1 11	Wildes, Ezekiel, 4 52
Sweetsir, Maria A., 1 26	Wright, Edw. N., 10 64
" John W., 4 79	Willcut, Levi L., 7 98
Sawyer, Alonzo, 80	Willis, Juliette, 2 00
Stimpson & Devenell, 37 24	Vaughn's Island, J.
Staples, Mott, 2 00	A. Strout, Pro., 22 88
" Fred H., 6 65	York, Geo. H., 33 25
Stackpole, Mrs. L. A., 6 65	Yeoman, Jos., heirs, 43 89
Seavey, Eastman P., 1 06	
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Supplemer	itary Tax.

Nunan, Frank,	9 31	Lord, Mrs. Eva, Walker, Frank,	5 32
Nelson, Ludwig,	2 .00	waiker, Frank,	2 00
Lord & Thomas,	1 06	Gavett, Andrew J.,	2 66
Grav M C	2 00		

Delinquent Tax-Payers for 1894.

Joseph I. Adams,	2	00	Constance Annis,	4	36
Wm. H. Buzzell,	4	52	John W. Balch, heirs,		52
Charles W. Seaward,	9	37	John Bell, heirs,		19
Joseph Harrop,	2	33	Elijah Buzzell,	8	
Jeremiah Huff,	2	68	Wm. Buzzell,	4	64
Geo, W. Leach,	5	35	Geo. H. Brooks,	8	25
Charles Shuffleburg, ba	l. 2	26	Hugh Bowles,	11	86
1895			Cyrus Boston,	13	45
Joseph Adams, heirs,	14	2 I	John F. Boston,	2	83
Eben Averill, heirs,	10	36	Francis Boston, heirs,	ΙI	50
Wm. H. Buzzell,	3	92	Leon Bailey, bal.,	3	
John C. Buzzell, bal.,	9	95	Noah Cluff,	12	04
Geo. H. Brooks,	8	78	Fred Coleman,	6	7.2
John F. Boston,	2	90	Jason Clough, heirs,	5	43
Francis Boston, heirs,			Willie H. Clough,	12	
bal.,	12	80	Geo. Clark,	6	22
Leon Bailey, bal.,	3	92	Geo. H. Clark,	9	43
Marcellus Cluff,	9	04	Fred Clark,	3	93
Jason L. Clough, heirs	, 6	81	David Clark,	2	50
Fred Clark,	3	28	Charles H. Chappell,	1	18
Alex Davis, heirs,	5	12	Alex Davis, heirs,		72
Calvin Emmons,	6	10	Chas. B. Emmons, heir	s, 4	72
Joseph Harrop,	I	28	Wilbur Emmons,	2	94
Albert E. Hutchins,	3	28	Calvin Emmons,	5	78
Mahlon Hutchinson,	18	00	James A. Fisher,	6	72
John Howard Littlefield	1 3	28	Daniel I. Geinei,		59
Eddie Lord,	5	16	John Gregoire,	3	89
Henry E. Perry,	2	50	Alvin Harriman,	2	94
Theodore C. Rounds,	4	56	Joseph Harrop,	1	81
Charles W. Seaward,	9	68	Thatcher Hutchins, hei	rs,6	37
Orlando Simmons,	2	50	Robert C. Hutchins,	7	90
Charles W. Smith,		97	Samuel Hutchins,	. 5	54
Thomas A. Smith,	7	38	Albert E. Hutchins,	3	18
James B. Smith,	6	48	Herbert T. Hutchins,	2	59
Dennett L. Smart,	2	64	Joseph Houle,	ΙI	09
Fred Staples,	3	28	Mahlon Hutchins,	16	7.5
Lewis Shuffleburg,		20	Jeremiah Huff,	. 4	95
Charles Shuffleburg,		56	Clement Huff, heirs,	20	4 I
Georgia A. Staples, Charles E. Thompson,	J	12	John F. Huff,	2	47
Charles E. Thompson,		64	Geo. P. Huff,	14	8.6
Marinda E. Thompson,	8	45	John M. Jellison,	27	82
Alden T. Wildes,	7	I 2	Alexander Jeffery,	14	15
1896			John F. Jackson,	2	94
oseph Adams, heirs,	10	74	Fred W. Kimball,	· 6	79

Nicholas McKenney,	2 59	Lewis Shuffleburg,	4	95
Geo. W. Miller,	12 62	Geo. Towne,	6	79
Howard Nunan,	9 90	John W. Tuman,	5	89
John Perkins, heirs,	2 36	Edward Williams,	2	50
Alpheus Prince,	2 59	Erastus H. Wildes,	6	37
Theodore Rounds,	4 36	Henry C. Wildes,	8	22
Howard M. Seavey,	4 52	Lucy J. "	5	5.5
Charles W. Seaward,	9 08	Alonzo Wildes,		50
Charles W. Smith,	4 00	Charles H. Wildes,	2	59-
Thomas A. Smith,	6 96	Ferdinand Wildes,		50
James B. Smith,	6 13	John Wood, heirs,	10	62
Charles Shuffleburg,	4 - 36	Timothy Welch,	4	36
John Howard Littlefield	4 48	Geo. W. Averill,	3	54
Wm. M. Lord,	4 36	Eben Averill, heirs,		26



General Remarks.

At the beginning of the last municipal year the selectmen were astonished at the large number of bills which they were called upon to settle which had been approved by the former board and carried over, and later presented to us for payment. In the early part of the spring the new draw bridge and approach seemed to be the great centre of attraction. The bridge came some time in March and was opened for public travel Monday morning, April 19th, 1897. At this time the two towns interested in the bridge could not agree in a settlement and April 20th we sent to the Groten Bridge Manufacturing company \$1500, on account. Later, Kennebunk made a payment to the bridge company, and the matter remained unsettled, for it did not seem right to us for our town to pay more than half the cost of the bridge, Kennebunk claiming only to be responsible for about 11-40 of the bridge, and referred us to the printed agreement in our last year's town report, page 67. In this case (and in other questions of importance) we have secured advice from attorneys who stand high in their profession and have had experience in such matters. After looking well into the bridge affair, our counsel told us the above referred-to article of agreement between the two towns last year would be hard to get over, and about the only thing for us to do would be to make the best trade we could with the other town, and so the matter remained unsettled until October the first, the president of the Groten Bridge and Manufacturing company came to Kennebunk and Kennebunkport, and a meeting of the two boards was arranged and a settlement agreed upon, namely: we to give a check to the bridge

company for payment in full, \$1,404.43, and Kennebunk to pay us back on bridge account, \$425.00. Before the bridge was opened to the public we were notified by the Hardy Machine company that they had a contract signed by the selectmen Saturday, Feb. 27th, 1897, for the iron railing, and they were then making it.

Later in the spring we found that our selectmen had, February 23d, agreed with E. H. Fifield for a concrete walk from Brown's block to the bridge and in front of R. W. Norton's, and a chemical company in New York was secured on the job for material furnished to Fifield.

Thus we acknowledge both the iron railing and the concrete walk to be children of the old board; and all we had to do was to pay the bills, both of which cost nearly two hundred dollars each.

Of the thirty-six hundred dollars in reserve for the completion of the bridge, thirty-five hundred has been negotiated, leaving one hundred balance unexpended. The gravel which was brought here on the cars for the bridge did not prove satisfactory and had to be removed, and quite an additional expense incurred by building a solid road, the rotten rock being taken from the top of Perkins' hill, thus helping the hill and giving us material for the road at cost of getting out.

It will be seen by the report only \$500 was raised at the annual meeting for bridges. The great freshet in June washed the Union street bridge into the dock and carried away the bridge known as Perkins' bridge.

The selectmen had a new bridge built of granite on Union street with a large water course running through it. This bridge cost one thousand dollars and a note given to Mr. Howe, payable next August at 5 per cent. interest. The town must make some provision for the above note at the annual meeting. Our side of the Perkins' bridge was thoroughly built over, twenty-five yards of stone being hauled from the quarry of George W Ross for the above purpose, the work being done in June. At the same time numerous small bridges and causeways were washed out, besides damaging the roads to a great

extent, so it will be impossible to estimate correctly the amount of damage done by this storm.

The roads, especially in districts 8, 9 and 24, are very rocky and this locality has been greatly improved by blasting out some of the worst places. In order to help the good work along, Mr. Thomas A. Emmons, who is interested in good roads, offered to have a large flat ledge removed at his expense. This generous offer was accepted, and cost the gentleman about \$32.00. Attention is called to the ditch which was blasted out of the solid rock from top to bottom of Wakefield's hill in the Wildes district and was done in order to take the water from the roadway, and save the severe washings which the hill always had every heavy rain. This job was worked out on the selectmen's list.

During the early part of the summer the county commissioners were petitioned by Frederick T. Hill of Lyman and others to appoint an agent to construct the road as located by them through the northerly portion of Kennebunkport and Biddeford, the time having elapsed in which the towns were given to build it. As it would be an expensive road to build and to maintain, and there being no one in our town and but few in Biddeford desiring it, the two towns united in opposing its construction.

Petitions were made to the county commissioners by both towns for a discontinuance of the road and a hearing held at the municipal court room in Biddeford, Dec. 14th and 15th, when an adjournment was made until such times as the commissioners should decide on, and the hearing continued and their decision announced.

The poor at the farm has been cared for as for several years past by Mrs. Juliette Williams. No change in the inmates except once or twice a sick tramp was taken there, and a few weeks ago Caleb Moody was taken to the farm. The first part of the season those outside which received assistance was confined to Jos. Manuel's family, the Smith family and Jacob Curtis, but as the winter came on others applied for help as will be seen by reading the leaf under the heading "Poor away from farm." Joseph Manuel died last fall. The funeral ex-

penses being provided for by Mr. and Mrs. Willis, who have since taken Mrs. Manuel to their home to spend her last days, without expense to our town. The family of Sylvester Furbush was found to be destitute; his wife sick and in a feeble condition. Medicine, food, clothing, bedding and fuel was sent to them, also medical attendance. The woman died and left a young child. This family is a resident of Kennebunk and the bills have been charged to that town.

The claim of Jane L. Stone against the C. L. Stone estate is in the hands of her guardian, Mr. Woodbury Smith.

It will be remembered by many while the great struggle for water was being carried on in 1896, at one of the town meetings a long list of names was read of those who owned real estate in the village and would be willing to have the value of their property raised not to exceed twenty per cent. and many who had opposed the tax said if the village people were willing to do that to help pay the extra water tax they would go in for it, and the result was a vote in favor of water.

This seemed to the assessors like a fair agreement with those who opposed the water and those who were in favor of it, consequently the real estate that is near the water pipes and hydrants has been raised in value ten per cent. and many who have talked with us about the rise said they would be willing to stand the rise if there were any hose so the hydrants could be used in case of fire, but the insurance rates have not been reduced yet because the town does not own a sufficient number of feet of hose as required by the insurance companies. Last summer, through the efforts of Mr. Abbott Graves and Mr. Lorin F. Deland, both summer residents, three hundred feet of hose and a new hose carriage were presented to the Arundel Engine Company in behalf of the town.

There is an important article in the warrant to see if the town will give seven hundred feet more of hose which is necessary to have in case of a great fire.

There is a bill out of attorneys' fees 1896-7 and 1897-8 in the village bridge matter.

A bill for hydrant rentals came in about the time the books were closed which we did not settle, as the treasurer did not

have the funds at his command. Sheriff J. F. Goldthwaite served a writ on the town in favor of Charles E. Bryant; bill for ferrying 1896, three days, \$37.00 and credit by cash paid May 22nd 1896, \$10.00, Bryant claiming there is a balance on account due him of \$27.00. This case is called up late in February.

In the above remarks we have endeavored to inform the inhabitants of the town of the exact facts. Had circumstances been different we could have made a better financial showing, however, we have the satisfaction of being able to prepare an easier way for our successors.

P. A. TWAMBLY,
ANDREW PERKINS,
GEO. A. PERKINS

Selectmen
of
Kennebunkport.

Warrant.

To Gardner F. Smith, Constable of the Town of Kennebunkport, in the County of York. Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Kennebunkport qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town House in said town on the seventh day of March at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following acticles to wit:

- I. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- II. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- III. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance and support of schools, and provide for a supervisor as the law directs, and the poor and the bridges and for contingent expenses, and how much for the payment of the town debt and interest thereon, and to defray all other town charges for the year ensuing.
- IV. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise for the repair of roads and to see what sum of money shall be paid to the road commissioner per day for his services, said commissioner to have charge of the repairs of all highways and bridges within the town limit, and fix the price per hour for labor.
- V. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money sufficient for the payment of the discount on taxes for the ensuing year, also fix the rate of said discount and the length of time that it may continue.
- VI. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money for the maintenance and support of the Free High school in said town for the year ensuing.
- VII. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money for the purchase of school text books.
- VIII. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise for the repair and insurance of school buildings.

- IX. 1st. To see if the town will vote to divide the Burnham school district, so called, in said town, and erect a school house at or near the residence formerly occupied by the late Mahlon Hutchinson, for the accommodation of the scholars in that part of said school district.
- 2d. To see how much money said town will vote to raise for the erection of said school house and how the same shall be raised on petition of William H. Welsh and ten others.
- X. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise for the payment of snow bills.
- XI. To see if the town will vote to stop the digging of clams to ship or sell out of the town, on petition of L. S. Sinnott and twenty others.
- XII. 1st. To see if the town will vote to prohibit all persons not residents of this town, from digging clams within the limits of this town.
- 2d. To see if the town will vote to prohibit all persons from digging or taking clams within the limits of this town for the purpose of shipping or carrying them out of town between the first of April and the first day of October of the year one thousand and eight hundred and ninety-eight on petition of C. W. Staples and ten others.
 - XIII. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sufficient sum of money to purchase (700) seven hundred feet of hose for the use of the fire department, on petition of H. A. Wells and nine others.
 - XIV. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money sufficient for the establishment of a suitable police force and the purchase of a lockup for the town on petition of W. H. H. Hinds and ten others.
 - XV. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the sum of (\$300;) three hundred dollars for the fire department, on petition of F. B. Perkins and fourteen others.
 - XVI. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sufficient sum of money for the payment of hydrant rentals for the year ensuing.
 - XVII. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise the

sum of fifty dollars towards defraying the expenses of Decoration day, on petition of W. H. H. Hinds and ten others.

XVIII. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise for the purchase of a safe or erection of a vault suitable for the preservation of the books and papers belonging to the town, and where the same shall be located as provided by law.

XIX. To see if the town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money sufficient to construct and complete a plank walk starting from the driveway near the Nonantum house on Water street running to meet the plank walk now laid and nearly opposite the cottage of Rev. J. M. Durrell, on petition of fourteen resident and non-resident tax-payers.

XX. To see if the town will vote to abandon the old reservoirs on South street and Main street and raise a sufficient sum of money to pay for filling up the same.

XXI. To see what the town will vote to instruct the overseers of the poor to do with the tramps.

XXII. To see if the town will vote to move the hydrant on the river road situated near the boat house in on the line and provide for the expense of removal as it is now in a dangerous place or allow George N. Stevens to build a fence on a line with the hydrant as it now stands.

XXIII. To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors as prepared by the selectmen.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town and hearing and deciding upon the applications of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said list at the town house in said town at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1898.

P. A. TWAMBLY,
ANDREW PERKINS,
GEO. A. PERKINS,
Selectmen
of
Kennebunkport.









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